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SUBJECT: (COINTELPRO)

BLACK EXTREMIST

100-448006

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 3/1/71

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (105-2544) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Buairtel to Albany, 3/4/68 and Phoenix let to Director, 8/27/70.

In connection with above-captioned program, the following is set forth:

1. Operation Under Consideration

On 1/11/71 and 2/25/71, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that no trial date has been set as yet for [REDACTED]

Phoenix will follow this matter closely so that action can be taken to discredit [REDACTED] and the Nation of Islam (NOI).

2. Operations Being Effected

None.

3. Tangible Results

None.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

None.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) [REDACTED]

DATE: 3/1/71

FROM : SAC, HOUSTON (157-1210) (P) [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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ReHOlet, 11/30/70.

I. Operations Under Consideration

No specific counterintelligence operations currently being effected against black nationalist elements in the Houston Division. Peoples Party II (PP II) continues to be the most logical target for counterintelligence activity, in that they are the only activist black militant group currently in operation in Houston even though on a very limited scale at the present time due to lack of finances and members.

[REDACTED] and it is anticipated that if their activities lend themselves toward a counterintelligence move, [REDACTED]

II. Operations Being Effectuated

Because of the current status of PP II in that they are financially bankrupt and all their efforts to establish a free health clinic and a free breakfast program have been completely negated, no significant opportunity has developed which would lend itself towards a significant counterintelligence move in this direction.

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III. Tangible Results [REDACTED]

It is felt that actions of the local authorities and the actions of well-placed informants have neutralized the activities of the PP II in the Houston area, and it is anticipated that this situation will continue in the Houston area.

IV. Development of Counterintelligence Interest

As the Bureau is aware, on 7/26/70, a confrontation occurred between the PP II organization and the Houston Police Department, during which the leader of the PP II was killed. Initially, several black militants were accused of informing to the police and setting up the confrontation. However, during recent weeks through the activities of [REDACTED] suggestions by the contacting Agent, the blame has shifted to businessmen, pimps and bootleggers and currently they are being blamed for this action because of the fact that PP II cut in on their business when they were active. This apparently is catching hold in the area, and it is anticipated this will continue to be capitalized on through informants in order that a state of distrust and chaos continues to exist as far as the PP II organization is concerned.

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1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

ReWFOlet 3/5/71, copy enclosed for San Francisco.

Authority granted to forward anonymous letter to Black Panther Party headquarters, Washington, D.C. Insure letter cannot be traced to Bureau. Advise Bureau and interested offices of positive results.

1 - San Francisco (Enclosure)

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NOTE:

This is part of our continuing effort to foment internal dissension within ranks of Black Panther Party (BPP). Anonymous letter suitably prepared in handwriting with appropriate number of misspellings will be sent to Panther chapter, BPP headquarters, Washington, D.C., (WDC).

Letter alleges that [REDACTED] is a police informant and during his recent confinement in jail cooperated with police officers. [REDACTED] was arrested by Metropolitan Police Department officers on 2/7/71 for creating a disturbance in WDC. Some local BPP workers have alleged that [REDACTED] is an informant. [REDACTED] is actually a vicious and belligerent person who has refused to talk to local officers and Bureau Agents.

The WDC BPP chapter is presently in a state of confusion and with recent purges from the chapter the WDC chapter is being operated by members from Baltimore, Chicago and WDC. All workers are extremely sensitive to informants within their ranks. COINTELPRO is an abbreviated caption for "Counterintelligence Program--Black Nationalist--Hate Groups--Racial Intelligence" approved 10/30/70.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 3/5/71

FROM : SAC, WFO (157-1292) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
DISSENSION
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ReBulet to WFO, 2/18/71.

The following is the proposed text of the anonymous letter previously suggested by WFO to cause dissension within the ranks of the local chapter:

Panther Captain
Black Panther Headquarters
1932 17th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Personal

Brother:

I recently read in the Black Panther newspaper about that low dog [redacted] down in Texas who betrayed his people to the pigs and it reminded me of a recent incident that I should tell you about. Around the first part of Feb. I was locked up at the local pigpen when the pigs brought in this dude who told me he was a Panther. This dude who said his name was [redacted] said he was vamped on by six pigs and was brutalized by them. This dude talked real bad and said he had killed pigs and was going to get more when he got out, so I thought he probably was one of you. The morning after [redacted] was brought in a couple of other dudes in suits came to see him and called him out of the cell and he was gone a couple hours. Later on these dudes came back again to see him. [redacted] told me the dudes were his lawyers but they smelled like pig to me. It seems to me

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that you might want to look into this because I know you don't want anymore low-life dogs helping the pigs brutalize the people. You don't know me and I'm not a Panther but I want to help with the cause when I can.

A lumpen brother

If approved by the Bureau, this letter will be suitably prepared in handwriting with an appropriate number of misspellings and mailed locally to the WDC Chapter.

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Date: 3/3/71

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-259902), ATTN: RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(100-448006) SECTION
FROM: SAC, NEW HAVEN (157-1856)
(157-785)
CHARLES R. GARRY
RM-BPP

COINTELPRO-BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Enclosed are copies of newspaper articles which appeared in the 3/2/71 issues of the "New Haven Journal-Courier" and "New Haven Register" regarding GARRY's appearance on the David Frost TV show. As will be noted, these articles are extremely critical of GARRY's performance and indicate that he completely lost his composure and resorted to name-calling in unsuccessfully defending his position regarding Panther ideology and his charges that the Government and various police agencies had engaged in genocidal tactics against the Panthers.

This would appear to offer excellent potential in the counter-intelligence field against the BPP and GARRY. New Haven anticipates forwarding a proposal in the form of a letter to the editor of the leading papers in this area raising the question as to whether GARRY in his TV appearance was intentionally trying to discredit the Panther movement, etc.

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Epstein, Panther Lawyer Tangle

Garry Roasted On Frost Show

By WILLIAM S. TUTTLE
Journal-Courier Staff Reporter
Charles R. Garry, chief lawyer for the Black Panthers, Monday received a roasting on national television for his statement that 23 Panthers had been murdered by police in a plot to wipe out the party.

Garry, 61, attempted to act in his own self defense on the pre-recorded David Frost Show, where he was pitted against the host and Edward J. Epstein, author of a New Yorker magazine article which concluded neither facts nor figures supported such a scheme to "commit genocide."

The San Francisco lawyer, who is defending Panther Chairman Bobby G. Seale from capital charges in New Haven, resorted to calling Epstein a number of things during the stormy program, including:

"An agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) or

the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)," "a puppet," "paid operator," "windbag," "liar," "congenital liar," "racist," and "stupid."

Epstein denied the charges. Frost remarked "rubbish," at one point and demanded that Garry explain himself. Garry twice threatened to leave the stage during the 90-minute session. The studio audience took it all in with laughter, catcalls and applause.

The article which caused the furor dealt with a statement by Garry after the Dec. 4, 1969 shooting deaths of two Panthers after a police raid in Chicago. Garry declared that the slayings of Mark Clark and Fred Hampton was "in fact the 27th and 23th Panthers murdered by the police."

In his article, however, Epstein said that Garry's office could supply him with only 19 names of dead men, allegedly Panthers. Of that number, he wrote, "there are two cases in which Black Panthers were killed by policemen whose lives were not being directly threatened by those men."

Among the purported police murders on the list, said Epstein, were the cases of one man who was shot by his wife and another who died after being shot by a Seattle merchant during an alleged robbery.

Garry during the show dismissed as "irrelevant," the actual number of police slayings. "To me, it's irrelevant if it's 23 or one."

He declared that, if anything, many more Panthers had been slain in the alleged police-FBI conspiracy.

"I didn't make that list," said Garry. "I didn't vouch for that list," Garry maintained.

In that case, countered Epstein, why did Garry use the same figures in a book published in 1970, entitled "The Black Panthers Speak?"

"Aw, I didn't even write that," said Garry. He said that, too, was "irrelevant."

Garry again charged that FBI chief J. Edgar Hoover's recent statements had poisoned public opinion against the Panthers. Hoover had condemned party leaders as dangerous.

He accused Epstein of aiding in such a campaign "at a crucial time in the history of the Black Panther Party."

However, the author maintained that charges from both Hoover and Garry should be examined, and in Garry's case, at least, "the evidence you did present was so factually untrue that you've lost credibility as far as I'm concerned."

Frost numerous times attempted to draw Garry's comment on the individual deaths he listed.

However, Garry hotly accused the host of "trying to muzzle me as if I was a dog or an airedale."

"You know," said the lawyer, "I don't have to be here. It's not my living and I don't have to kowtow to you or this windbag."

In addition to the scale of relevance placed on the number of victims, Garry also asserted the "figures we had in mind" were quickly compiled through phone calls to Panther chapters throughout the country."

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JOURNAL-COURIER

New Haven, Conn.

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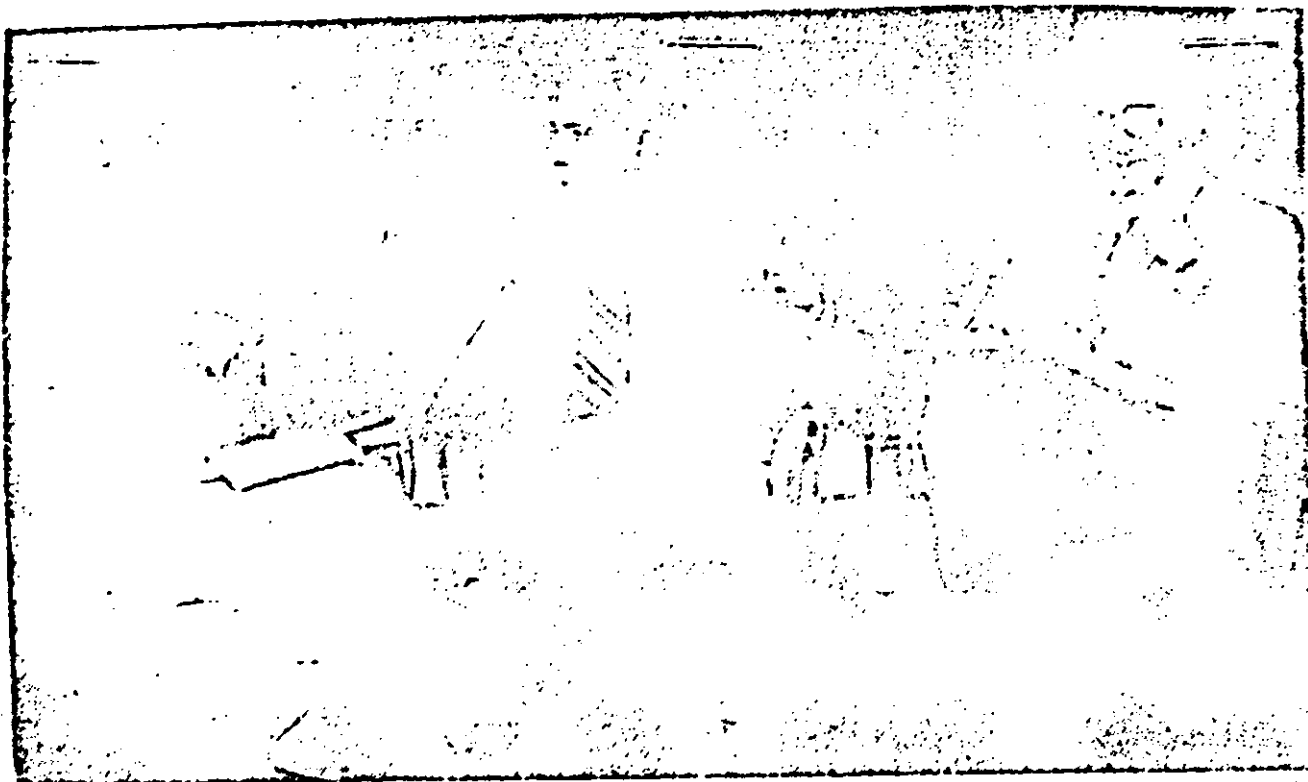
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AP Wirephoto

Garry, center, emphasizes point to Frost, left, and Epstein during taped interview.

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Garry Scarred In Bitter TV Debate

As a witness in his own behalf Monday on the David Frost television show, Charles R. Garry, Black Panther lawyer, was grilled for facts supporting his statement that 28 Panthers have been killed by police.

Garry, attorney for Bobby Seale here in New Haven, duelled with Frost and Edward Epstein, author of a New Yorker article questioning the legitimacy of Garry's claims in a heated program during which Garry twice threatened to leave.

Epstein had brought with him the list of 28 Garry said were slain. He said he had hoped to go through the list with Garry, case by case, seeking facts which supported Garry's statement.

Calling Epstein "stupid," a "racist," an agent of either the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), or the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), "a congenital liar," "windbag," "character," Garry told Epstein his article was aiding the campaign "to destroy the Black Panther party."

When Garry asked Epstein where he got certain points of information, saying, "that's garbage," or "that's a lie," Epstein said, "from the Black Panther newspaper," to the laughter of the audience.

Epstein said Garry's office in San Francisco could only give him 19 of the 28 dead, but from his own investigations, he claimed in the New Yorker article that, "of that number, there are two cases in which Black Panthers were killed by policemen whose lives were not being directly threatened by those men."

Frost and Epstein harangued Garry especially about the case of one man, who, under the influence of heroin, allegedly beat up his wife and child, and was then shot by his wife. Another

man was reported to have been killed by the owner of a Seattle grocery store during an attempted robbery.

Garry refused to concede to Frost that here were two cases where the police were not involved. Said Frost, "I think you'd agree we could take this case of this poor man shot by his wife off the list, wouldn't you?"

"I wouldn't agree with you about anything," Garry retorted.

He said J. Edgar Hoover, director of the FBI, had poisoned public opinion against the Panthers when he said they were the most dangerous group in the country. He accused Epstein of aiding in the destruction campaign by writing the article "at a crucial time in the history of the Black Panther party."

Epstein quoted Garry several times from a book he wrote in

1970, "The Black Panthers Speak." Garry, ignoring the figures cited, said, "I never saw that book before."

"But, it has your name on it," said Epstein. "Didn't you write it?" Epstein asked.

"No, I didn't write it, and it's irrelevant, anyway," Garry responded.

Of 28 killed irrelevant too, say-

Garry also called the figure ing it should be a matter of concern if even one or two people were killed, and declared that if anything, the number is probably greater than 28.

Garry told Frost he did not understand what happens in a ghetto community as far as police harassment is concerned. "There is a very serious problem there," he said.

"I am aware of that," Frost said, "But if you can't even give us facts about these cases, how are we supposed to believe anything else you might say?"

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

DATE: 3/2/71

ATL 2/10/71
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ReNYlet to the Bureau, dated 12/2/70.

1. Operations Under Consideration

The NYO is cognizant of the fact that the local operations of the BPP are in a chaotic state due to the inconsistent leadership techniques demonstrated by HUEY P. NEWTON and LEROY ELDRIDGE CLEAVER.

It is also apparent that one of the most active Black Extremist operations in the New York area is the distribution and sale of the BPP newspaper, "The Black Panther."

Both of the above-described situations have been selected as the main points to be exploited and attacked as part of the continuing counterintelligence program of the NYO.

2. Operations Being Submitted

On 12/3/70, the NYO proposed that a series of anti-BPP articles written by FRANZ TAGAE, a Ghanaian writer, be distributed to interested field offices as an aid in future counterintelligence efforts.

On 12/7/70, the NYO proposed that [redacted] should be the target of future counterintelligence proposals by placing the blame on him for the failure of HUEY NEWTON to generate a good public image.

On 12/14/70, it was proposed that a letter from the Student Afro-American Society at Columbia University, New York City, should be directed to BPP National Headquarters, Oakland, California. This letter was critical of a speech delivered by HUEY NEWTON at New York City Community College.

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On 12/14/70, it was proposed that a letter from a member of the Venceremos Brigade critical of the way Negroes are treated in Cuba should be sent to various SNCC members nationwide.

On 12/14/70, the NYO suggested that a letter aimed at disrupting any relationship which might exist between SNCC and the BPP should be mailed to various people in the New York City area.

On 12/21/70, it was proposed that a letter should be sent to HUEY NEWTON which was critical of the riotous living engaged in by certain BPP members in the New York area.

On 12/28/70, the Bureau granted authority for the Atlanta Office to implement a New York counterintelligence proposal set forth in New York letter to the Bureau dated 12/10/70.

On 1/20/71, the NYO proposed that a letter to the Editors of the local New York newspapers complaining of BPP activities in New York should be prepared and sent to those concerned. This proposal was approved by Bureau airtel dated 1/28/71.

On 1/28/71, newspaper articles critical of BPP operations nationwide appeared in local New York newspapers. It was proposed on 1/29/71, that these articles should be reproduced and mailed to concerned individuals. This proposal received Bureau approval on 2/3/71.

On 1/28/71, an anonymous letter critical of HUEY NEWTON's activities was proposed to be sent to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER. Approval for this letter was given by the Bureau on 2/3/71.

[REDACTED]

On 2/1/71, the NYO proposed that a letter critical of HUEY NEWTON's handling of the "Panther 21" matter should be sent to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER. This proposal did receive Bureau approval on 2/3/71.

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On 2/4/71, the NYO suggested that a plethora of letters should be sent to HUEY NEWTON which would be critical of his recent receptions by college students during his speaking tours.

On 2/11/71, Bureau approval was granted to New York to act on its proposal of 2/10/71, to send a letter to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, as well as distributing copies of a critical article on the BPP which appeared in the "New York Times."

On 2/11/71, it was proposed that a postcard should be sent to HUEY NEWTON complaining of the activities of particular members of the BPP.

On 2/16/71, a proposal to send a letter to HUEY NEWTON signed by a fictitious member of Youth Against War and Fascism was approved by Bureau airtel dated 2/22/71.

On 2/19/71, the NYO proposed that [REDACTED] should be the recipient of an anonymous counterintelligence letter.

3. Tangible Results

Since the submission of referenced letter, the BPP has undergone a complete bouleversement in its organization and operations in the New York City area. New York feels that the unsuccessful attempt by the BPP to hold the Revolutionary Peoples' Constitutional Convention in Washington, D.C., in the later part of 1970, as well as the abject failure of HUEY P. NEWTON in his attempt to attract a following by speaking at various East Coast colleges and universities, indicates some tangible results of captioned program.

It should also be noted that the split which has developed in the high level leadership of the BPP to wit the falling out of NEWTON with CLEAVER, together with the purging of the "Panther 21" from the BPP, may be utilized as evidence that the counterintelligence efforts of the NYO have born some fruit.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interests

The aforementioned falling out of the various BPP leaders plus the disgruntled and undisciplined conduct of the rank and file BPP members presents future sources of counterintelligence [REDACTED]

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objects and targets. This, along with the possibility of the New York area BPP members splitting entirely from the National BPP leadership, are points which the NYO feel can be capitalized on under this program.

The NYO will immediately inform the Bureau of any situations or developments that occur where counterintelligence techniques may be used.

No action will be taken on any counterintelligence proposals without prior Bureau approval.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, SACRAMENTO (100-894) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 2/26/71

Re Sacramento letter to the Bureau, 11/30/70,
and Sacramento letters to the Bureau dated 2/8/71,
captioned COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION.

The overall Black Nationalist movement remains
unchanged from referenced letter dated 11/30/70.

1) OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Presently under consideration are two plans, one
aimed at local dissension and one at national dissension
as set out in referenced letters dated 2/8/71.

2) OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

A Bureau-approved plan to send an anonymous
letter to various Sacramento civic organizations with
an enclosure of the January 30, 1971, issue of "The
Black Panther" newspaper is being put into effect; but
as of this date, sufficient copies of "The Black Panther"
paper have not been obtained. 100-448006-2326

3) TANGIBLE RESULTS EX-111

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Anonymous letters were sent to the director of
the Economic Opportunity Council and other civic leaders
at Vallejo, California, regarding BPP worker, [REDACTED]

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who is working for the office of Economic Opportunity in Vallejo. No information has been received concerning the effect of any of these letters.

4) DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

None.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : *FDM* SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-15780) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

DATE: 3/3/71

Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 3/4/68, and Pittsburgh letter to Bureau dated 11/30/70.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

This office is considering appropriate Counterintelligence action against a Pittsburgh black militant, who is the [REDACTED] in Pittsburgh. [REDACTED] also an associate of an individual from Jackson, Mississippi, who has the reputation of being a drug pusher and in view of this, it is considered most inappropriate for [REDACTED] occupy such a position.

The National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF), front group for the Black Panther Party (BPP), is presently defunct in Pittsburgh. This office is considering appropriate Counterintelligence action to preclude the organization from reactivating in this area.

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

This office is presently in the process of obtaining a subscription for the BPP newspaper, under a false name, for the organization "Another Side." This organization in the past has utilized its newsletter to denounce the BPP and other black militants. This technique may enable the Pittsburgh office to establish contact with "Another Side" for future utilization under the Counterintelligence program.

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This office is also in the process of preparing a hand printed note to send to the BPP in San Francisco, Calif., which is designed to cast suspicion on the NCCF leader in Pittsburgh.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

There have been no tangible results from the Counterintelligence program during the current period.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTERESTS

The Congress of African Peoples (CAP) is attempting to become established in Pittsburgh. The organization is only in its formative stages in this area, and there is no indication that it is functional at the present time.

There have been no further significant changes in the overall black nationalist movement in Pittsburgh since the submission of referenced letter.

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TO SAC, SAN FRANCISCO, (157-601)

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) ^{REC-33} 2324

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RM.

REURTEL MARCH TWO, LAST, PROPOSING COINTELPRO LETTER
TO VARIOUS BPP CHAPTERS FROM HUEY P. NEWTON.

YOUR PROPOSAL IS APPRECIATED BUT IS NOT BEING AUTHORIZED
SINCE SUCH LETTERS COULD EASILY BE DETERMINED FRAUDULENT AND
COULD PROVE TO BE COUNTERPRODUCTIVE BY RETARDING OR REVERSING
CURRENT PACE OF DISSENSION WITHIN THE BPP.

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NOTE:

Huey P. Newton has expelled Eldridge Cleaver from BPP
and a realigning of loyalty to either Newton or Cleaver can
be expected. San Francisco proposed letter on BPP letter-
head over Newton's name to five active BPP chapters, expelling
leaders of each chapter.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448006)

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-601) 3P

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COUNCIL INTELLIGENCE PLANNING - BPP 7 ACTION
MILITANT HATE GROUPS

FOR INFORMATION OFFICES RECEIVING AIR MAIL COPIES,

ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, MINISTER OF INFORMATION BPP, IN TV INTERVIEW
FEBRUARY TWENTYSIX LAST, CRITICIZED THE MANY BPP EXPULSIONS
AND ASKED FOR EXPULSION OF [REDACTED] AS
A RESULT THERE IS A SERIOUS RIFT WITHIN THE PARTY AND HUEY
NEWTON, BPP SUPREME COMMANDER, HAS EXPELLED CLEAVER AND THE
INTERCOMMUNAL SECTION OF THE PARTY AT ALGIERS.

YESTERDAY THE NEW ^{YORK} CHAPTER ALIGNED THEMSELVES WITH CLEAVER,
RECOGNIZING BOBBY SEALE AS CHAIRMAN, ELDRIDGE AND KATHLEEN CLEAVER
AND [REDACTED] AS OTHER MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE. NEW
YORK BPP ALSO EXPELLED [REDACTED] AND CALLED FOR A PEOPLE'S
TRIAL OF HUEY NEWTON, [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]

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MR. COLUMBIA FOR THE DIRECTOR

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IT APPEARS THAT BPP CHAPTERS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY WILL IMMEDIATELY BE FACED WITH PROBLEM OF ^{PLEDGING} ALLEGING LOYALTY TO NEWTON OR ALIGNING THEMSELVES WITH CLEAVER.

SAN FRANCISCO IS OF THE OPINION A SO-CALLED EXPULSION LETTER SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO BALTIMORE, CHICAGO, PHILADELPHIA, PORTLAND AND WASHINGTON, D.C. CHAPTERS EXPELLING KEY MEMBERS. THE LETTER WOULD BE PREPARED ON BPP STATIONERY AND SIGNED BY HUEY NEWTON READING AS FOLLOWS:

THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY AFTER CAREFUL DELIBERATION ORDERS THE EXPULSION OF -----.

THIS ACTION WAS NECESSARY BECAUSE OF THE AID EXTENDED TO AND THE ASSOCIATION WITH THE INTERCOMMUNAL SECTION OF THE BPP AND THE PERSONAL DISLOYALTY AND DISRESPECT TO THE SUPREME COMMANDER.

THE ABOVE NAMED ARE TO IMMEDIATELY VACATE BPP PREMISES AND BE CONSIDERED AS COUNTER REVOLUTIONAIRES. THEY ARE TO BE RIGHTFULLY DEALT WITH IF THEY ARE FURTHER FOUND ON OUR PROPERTY.

SIGNED POWER TO THE PEOPLE. HUEY P. NEWTON, SUPREME COMMANDER AND SERVANT TO THE PEOPLE.

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BUREAU AUTHORITY REQUESTED TO DIRECT ABOVE LETTER TO

BALTIMORE BPP [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CHICAGO NAMING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]

TO PHILADELPHIA NAMING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TO PORTLAND

NAMING [REDACTED] TO WASHINGTON D.C.

NAMING [REDACTED]

IT IS BELIEVED THAT SOME OF THESE LETTERS MAY RESULT IN SOME CHAPTERS ALIGNING THEMSELVES WITH CLEAVER INSTEAD OF NEWTON AND WOULD ALSO HINDER OR DELAY THE DISTRIBUTION THIS WEEK OF "THE BLACK PANTHER" AND STOP THE BPP SOLIDARITY RALLIES SCHEDULED FOR MARCH FIVE. AT LEAST THEY WILL CAUSE CONFUSION AND A LARGE TELEPHONE EXPENDITURE.

AIR MAIL COPIES FOR INFORMATION BALITMORE, CHICAGO, PHILADELPHIA, PORTLAND AND WASHINGTON FIELD.

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Date: 2/26/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, JACKSON (100-980) (P)

COINTELPRO -
BLACK EXTREMISTS
(BLACK REVOLUTIONARY
CONFERENCE, TOUGALOO COLLEGE,
TOUGALOO, MISSISSIPPI,
2/18 - 21/71)

Re Jackson airtel to Bureau, 2/18/71.

Jackson informants have advised that no Black Revolutionary Conference was held at Tougaloo College (TC) over the weekend of 2/18 - 21/71; after appearance of the news article referred to in reference, sources reported that school authorities at TC indicated they wanted the sponsors of the conference to submit to them an agenda for the conference and a list of proposed speakers for prior approval. No such program or list of sponsors was submitted to school officials, as [REDACTED] the latter of which is a TC student, both apparently got "cold feet" re the conference and it was not held.

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[REDACTED] provided information as a basis for a follow-up article re the Black Revolutionary Conference and the fact that it was not held. [REDACTED] was advised this information was provided to [REDACTED] on a confidential basis, and [REDACTED] fully understood this.

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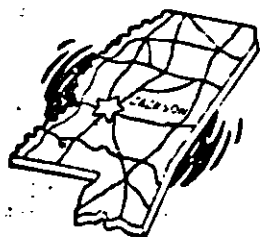
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Covering the CROSS- ROADS



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Jimmy Ward

That annual spring hoedown billed as the Black Unity Revolutionary Conference scheduled for Tougaloo College last weekend was a complete bust. It appears that Rudolph Shields and Alfonso Todd, Jr., chief local architects of the powwow, were unable to attract any "mainliner" extremist speaker to come to Tougaloo. Indications are that responsible Tougaloo college officials were instrumental in putting a damper on the extremist tendencies of some Black Unity Coordinating Committee members by requesting advance notice and approval of any proposed activities and speakers on the campus in connection with the conference.

If so, this may be a favorable ray of light for a brighter future for Tougaloo College which has in the past been a periodic haven for extremists, subversive speakers and activists. These officials are to be commended regarding their recent policies.

It is our understanding that Shields, despite this and other recent setbacks in Jackson, is still making plans for additional demonstrations for extremist-type activities in the Jackson area. Reportedly, he and one or two of his recent close associates have been active in promoting and supporting black student unrest at local high schools. Shields is viewed at City Hall and other places of responsibility as having lost what small base of support he might have claimed initially.

Regarding the planned BUCC meeting Tougaloo on which we reported last week, it is noteworthy that Huey Newton, 29, supreme commander of the Black Panther Party in San Francisco who was a prospective candidate to speak here is out on bond pending a retrial in the shooting death of a policeman. Newton charges \$2500 plus all travel expenses for himself and two bodyguards for each appearance of two to three hours duration. We read on the Associated Press wire the other day that Newton lives in a plushy-furnished \$650 per month apartment in a fashionable area of San Francisco.

Newton built his Black Panther Party with volatile slogans, one of the lesser being "Power to the People." But Huey seems to have forgotten "The People" in his selfish rise to lavish conditions.

We again commend Tougaloo College officials for not desiring this type showing up here.

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JACKSON DAILY NEWS

JACKSON, MISS.

Date: APR. 24, 1971

Edition: 1000

Author:

Editor: JAMES M. WARD

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Classification: 100-930

Submitting Office: Jackson

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST
RACIAL MATTER

The above captioned program in San Francisco is limited to the Black Panther Party (BPP). The following is the counterintelligence activities in this division since submission of last quarter's letter on 11/30/70.

1) On 12/28/70, an anonymous letter ostensibly from a white revolutionary was forwarded to HUEY NEWTON critical of the Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional Convention in Washington, D.C. and the culpability in that matter of "BIG MAN HOWARD" and the Washington Chapter of the BPP.

-- 2) A copy of the above letter with a short anonymous cover letter was forwarded to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER, BPP Minister of Information in Algeria, on 1/13/71.

3) On 1/21/71 a xerox copy of JULIAN WALKER's article on the Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional Convention was forwarded to CLEAVER. WALKER was highly critical of the BPP in the article printed in the "Berkeley Barb".

4) Anonymous letters were forwarded from Oakland, California on 2/4/71 to the Baltimore, New Haven, New York NCCF and the Boston, Chicago, Indianapolis, Los Angeles, Philadelphia and WFO BPP Chapters, criticizing the high type of living by

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party leaders, the failure of the Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional Convention and that fact that HUEY NEWTON's theoretical speeches are not being understood by the lumpen.

5) In February 1971, xerox copies of an article from Howard University "The Hilltop" criticizing the BPP were mailed to 17 newspapers in this division.

6) On 1/22/71, a letter was mailed from Oakland, to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER in Algiers, signed "C", possibly to be interpreted by CLEAVER as being [REDACTED]. The letter disclosed the fact that [REDACTED] had many sympathizers, that BPP Headquarters was in a shambles and that they would have to get rid of the Supreme Commander or disloyal members. The letter was meant to cause turmoil between CLEAVER, D. C. COX, both in Algiers, and National Headquarters. The Letter undoubtedly provoked a long distance call from CLEAVER to NEWTON which resulted in our being able to place in proper perspective the relationship of NEWTON and CLEAVER to obtain the details of the Geronimo Group and learn of the disaffections and the expulsion of the New York group.

7) In late January 1971, it was ascertained that the premises of 127 Downey Street, San Francisco, was no longer occupied by the BPP and the Breakfast Program at that address had been discontinued. An anonymous letter had previously been forwarded to the owner of the property on 11/6/70 advising that his tenants were BPP.

8) On 2/8/71, in an attempt to further widen the rift between CLEAVER and NEWTON, a letter was forwarded to NEWTON concerning CLEAVER's tape on the [REDACTED] arrest and the resulting article in the "Village Voice". The letter criticized the alienation of the white revolutionaries by CLEAVER and suggested that he had acted without authority of NEWTON. It was signed "Mother Jones Commune".

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9) On 2/4/71, San Francisco forwarded by teletype suggested questions for NEWTON on a TV call in so that they might tend to embarrass him.

10) On 2/11/71, a special delivery letter was dispatched from Santa Cruz, California to [REDACTED] signed "A.C." suggesting that HUEY had enemies in Algiers and New York and if KATHLEEN CLEAVER came to the United States he may end up like FRED D.

As a result of the letter [REDACTED] contacted his brother HUEY NEWTON stating that he was positive that someone close to HUEY had written the letter. It would appear that the NEWTONs are aware of the death of [REDACTED] and that HUEY NEWTON states he is sure someone at Headquarters is an informer.

11) A front page article appeared in the 2/12/71 edition of the "San Francisco Examiner" detailing the high style life of HUEY NEWTON in his Lakeshore Apartment at Oakland, California. Xerox copies of the article were dispatched to all BPP and NCCF offices in the United States and to three BPP contacts in Europe.

The article has resulted in criticism to NEWTON to the point that he gave an interview for the "San Francisco Chronicle" to the effect that he is living in the expensive apartment for security reasons and that he had no voice in selecting his residence. "The Black Panther" also devoted one page to their last issue with a similar explanation.

12) On 2/19/71, a letter was dispatched from Santa Cruz, California to [REDACTED] in Algeria from "A.C." again intimating something had happened to [REDACTED] and suggesting that KATHLEEN CLEAVER not come to the United States.

San Francisco has the following suggestions pending approval:

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1) Request has been made to forward an article to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER by WILLIAM MOORE concerning the LEARY-Panther row to further cause a rift between CLEAVER and the New Left.

2) A suggestion has also been made for the preparation of a letter from HUEY NEWTON to all BPP chapters on BPP stationery offering to the members, friends and associates, a new watch for \$5.50. This suggestion was made in order to defeat the Panthers' attempt to sell BPP watches at an inflated price and raise a great deal of money.

3) Suggestion has also been made to the Bureau for permission for the preparation of a letter to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER ostensibly from "BIG MAN" HOWARD at National Headquarters to further widen the rift between CLEAVER and NEWTON; to prevent the appearance of KATHLEEN CLEAVER at a BPP rally 3/5/71; and to possibly point out that [REDACTED] leaking information concerning NEWTON to other BPP members.

In addition to some of the results of the Cointelpro noted above the fortunes of the BPP are at a low ebb. Undoubtably this has been caused in part to the ineptness and temperment of HUEY NEWTON. Expulsions and defections during the last quarter have removed many of the prominent members and a good portion of the New York Chapter. NEWTON is positive there is an informant in Headquarters. CLEAVER feels isolated in Algeria and out of contact with NEWTON and the Supreme Commander's secretary has disappeared and has been denounced.

San Francisco will continue to emphasize this program and every effort will be made to discredit NEWTON and promote dissatisfaction between him and other BPP members.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448906)

FROM : SAC, COLUMBIA (100-324) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 3/1/71

Re Bureau airtel to SACs, Atlanta, ET AL, 1/13/71.

The Columbia Division made anonymous mailings of the article appearing in the Howard University newspaper, "The Hilltop", to the following:

1. "The Sun"
1218 College Street
Newberry, S. C.
2. "The Index-Journal"
Phoenix Street
Greenwood, S. C.
3. "The Greenville News"
Greenville, S. C.
4. "The Greenville Piedmont"
Greenville, S. C.
5. "The Anderson Daily Mail"
Anderson, S. C.
6. "The Spartanburg Herald and Journal"
Spartanburg, S. C.
7. "Sun-News"
Myrtle Beach, S. C.
8. "The Field"
Conway, S. C.

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9. "The Times and Democrat"
Orangeburg, S. C.
10. "Florence Morning News"
P. O. Box 1601
Florence, S. C.
11. "The Columbia Record"
Columbia, S. C.
12. "The State Newspaper"
Columbia, S. C.
13. "Marlboro Herald-Advocate"
Bennettsville, S. C.
14. "Charleston Evening Post"
134 Columbus Street
Charleston, S. C.
15. "Anderson Independent"
Anderson, S. C.
16. "Chronical Newspaper"
P. O. Box 807
Rock Hill, S. C.
17. "The Sea Islander"
5006 Dogwood
Burton, S. C.
18. "The Gamecock"
Student newspaper University of S. C.
Columbia, S. C.
19. The Association of Afro American Students
University of S. C.
20. The Black Awareness Coordinating Committee
Voorhees College
Denmark, S. C.
21. The Black Awareness Coordinating Committee
S. C. State College
Orangeburg, S. C.

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22. President of Student Body
Allen University
Columbia, S. C.
23. President of Student Body
Benedict College
Columbia, S. C.
24. Student newspaper at Clemson University
Clemson, S. C.

The Columbia Division will remain alert for any positive results of these anonymous mailings and will advise the Bureau.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : [REDACTED] DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) DATE: 3/1/71

FROM : *[Signature]* SAC, COLUMBIA (100-324) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Columbia letter to Bureau dated 11/27/70.

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES SINCE REFERENCED LETTER

The following are known Black Nationalist Groups in South Carolina. All are connected with educational institutions except the NOI and the NCCF:

1. Black Awareness Coordinating Committee (BACC), South Carolina State College (SCSC), Orangeburg, S. C.
2. BACC, Voorhees College, Denmark, S. C.
3. Association of Afro American Students (AAAS), University of South Carolina (USC), Columbia, S. C.
4. Student League for Black Identity (SLBI), Clemson University, Clemson, S. C. (not active at present time).
5. Nation of Islam (NOI).
6. National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF), Charleston, S. C.

II. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

With regard to the NCCF, informants of the Columbia Division have advised that this group in Charleston, S. C., is having financial difficulties in communicating with and receiving any help from the National Headquarters of the BPP.

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Columbia has prepared a letter which is being submitted to the Bureau for approval addressed to the Headquarters of the BPP over the signature of the local NCCF leader in Charleston in which he blames the National Headquarters of the BPP for the failure of the local chapter. It is expected that this letter will cause the National Headquarters to completely withdraw any potential aid to the local NCCF and it is believed it will cause dissension among the National Headquarters because the letter suggests that the local leader in Charleston may have a source in the National Headquarters.

[REDACTED]

III. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Columbia has just completed the anonymous mailings of an article appearing in the Howard University student newspaper, "The Hilltop" to newspapers and student groups throughout the state. The article is very critical of the BPP and was mailed to the above groups at the request of the Bureau. It is hoped that the mailing of this article will help keep the BPP from forming any strong alliances in the State of S. C.

[REDACTED]



Columbia continues to maintain contact with officials at educational institutions who are in positions of authority and who have knowledge of student activities and these contacts are proving extremely valuable and these officials have advanced knowledge of any activity on the campuses. All officials have advised that this year has been extremely calm with regard to militant activities and there are no indications of any extreme militant activity in South Carolina during the current school year.

IV. TANGIBLE RESULTS

None known.

V. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

None.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 3/3/71

FROM : SAC, BUFFALO (157-503) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAMS
NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS

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Re Buffalo letter, 12/10/70, captioned as above.

For the information of the Bureau, no counter-intelligence programs have been effected in the Buffalo Division in connection with captioned program since submission of referenced Buffalo letter which set forth substantial accomplishments in this field. The Black Nationalist - Hate Group activity in the Buffalo Division has been minimal during the reporting period and no counterintelligence devices have presented themselves during this period.

The only Black Nationalist organization with a formal organized membership in the Buffalo Division is the Nation of Islam (NOI) which operates a Mosque known as Muhammad's Mosque #23 (MM23) at Buffalo, New York, and an auxiliary Mosque at Rochester, New York, identified as MM23-B. The membership and activities of MM23 and MM23-B are well known and although informant coverage is most adequate, a continuous effort is asserted to improve this coverage.

Agents of the Buffalo Division having responsibility for coverage of Black Nationalist groups are constantly vigilant for opportunities to effect some form of counter-intelligence in Black Nationalist groups.

Buffalo will continue to explore possible avenues for counterintelligence techniques and when so developed, they will be submitted to the Bureau for Bureau authorization to utilize such techniques.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : *Cam* SAC, ST. LOUIS (157-5818) P

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 3-3-71

Re St. Louis letter to Bureau, 12-1-70.

The following information is submitted regarding the counterintelligence activities (Black Extremists) by the St. Louis Division since date of referenced communication.

1. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

None.

2. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Third World Revolutionary Council (see below).

3. TANGIBLE RESULTS

Results of Black Panther Party (BPP) mailing were previously furnished the Bureau in St. Louis letter dated 12-23-70.

4. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

Third World Revolutionary Council (TWRC) is operational and the results are separately furnished the Bureau under Bufile 100-461114.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 3/2/71

FROM : SAC, TAMPA (157-3213) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Tampa letters to Bureau, 12/1/70, 2/10/71, and 2/11/71; and Bureau airtel, 2/26/71.

1. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

The most active black extremist organization within the Tampa Division continues to be the JUNTA OF MILITANT ORGANIZATIONS (JOMO), which has a national office in St. Petersburg, Florida, and a chapter recently opened in Tampa, Florida. Operations being effected against JOMO are listed below.

Tampa has in the past, and will continue in the future, to pinpoint potential troublemakers within the JOMO organization and attempt to neutralize their effectiveness before they are able to exercise any potential for violence. Agents of the Tampa Division, who are investigating JOMO as well as their members, have been thoroughly briefed in the counterintelligence program, and counterintelligence measures against JOMO officials and members will be furnished to the Bureau for consideration.

2. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Re Bureau airtel authorized the preparation and anonymous mailing of a letter to the Headquarters of the BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP), in Oakland, California, and New York, N. Y., concerning the activities of JOMO and its [REDACTED]. The purpose of the letter is to create dissension between the BPP and JOMO. The Bureau will be advised of any positive results achieved from the mailing of this letter.

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3. TANGIBLE RESULTS

Re Tampa letter, 2/11/71, sets forth information concerning contact with an official at the University of South Florida (USF), Tampa, Florida, resulting in the University not permitting [REDACTED] to speak on campus at USF on 2/3/71.

[REDACTED] JOMO organization. Through contacts with [REDACTED] and other officials of the JOMO organization by [REDACTED] was subsequently removed from his position as National Minister of Defense and finally expelled from the JOMO organization.

4. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

There have been no additional developments of counterintelligence interest within the Tampa Division.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: March 1, 1971

FROM : SAC, -SPRINGFIELD (157-802) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, dated 3/4/68, and Springfield letter to Bureau, dated 11/30/70.

Since submission of referenced letter, an additional individual, [REDACTED] Black Panther Party member, Carbondale, Illinois, has been active in racial matters in the Carbondale, Illinois area; and his activities and those of his organization have been the objects of vigorous investigation.

Regarding possible counterintelligence operations under consideration, the activities of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Illinois, and Springfield Security Index subject, continue to be followed closely for any possible counterintelligence action that would be feasible and worthwhile. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Black Panther Party member, East St. Louis, Illinois, is no longer active in that organization. Springfield is considering the feasibility of a COINTELPRO to disrupt distribution of the Black Panther Party newspaper in the East St. Louis area. This proposal would deal with a letter to BPP National Headquarters regarding the overpricing of the BPP newspaper by the East St. Louis chapter. The letter would state that BPP personnel in East St. Louis are forcing people to buy two newspapers instead of just one, paying inflated prices, etc. 3

Since submission of referenced letter, Springfield suggested that a caricature exposing [REDACTED] as an opportunist be circularized in the Cairo Black and white community and other communities where [REDACTED] speaks. [REDACTED]

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Springfield also proposed a counterintelligence measure aimed at creating dissension at BPP National Headquarters. This proposal consisted of an anonymous

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mailing of a letter to HUEY P. NEWTON, Supreme Commander of BPP, regarding a \$1,000.00 fee to be paid to him for an appearance at Illinois State University (ISU), Normal, Illinois. This letter was to imply that the \$1,000.00 was converted to the personal use of an individual at ISU.

This matter continues to be followed closely and at such time as effective counterintelligence operations can be instituted, they will be submitted to the Bureau for approval.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 3/1/71

FROM : SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189) (P)

SUBJECT:

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Counterintelligence program - Black Nationalist - Hate Groups

Re Cleveland letter to Bureau dated 12/4/70.

OPERATIONS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

(A) Cleveland has submitted two letters to the Bureau for approval. These letters are designed (1) to create a split within the local chapter and (2) to cause a rift between the local chapter and National Headquarters.

OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

At the present time, Cleveland does not have any approved counterintelligence operations being effected.

TANGIBLE RESULTS

No tangible results have been achieved by Cleveland under this program since submission of referenced letter.

DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

Reliable sources have advised that [REDACTED] leaders of the National Committee to Combat Fascism in Cleveland, have been purged from the party.

Cleveland is in the process of developing further information regarding these expulsions which may have potential for use in the Counterintelligence Program.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: February 26, 1971

FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (157-785) P

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re: New Haven letters to Bureau, 12/1/70 and 2/4/71;
New Haven teletype, 2/3/71, entitled "BLACK PANTHER PARTY, PUBLIC
APPEARANCES, RM - BPP, COINTELPRO;" Bureau airtel to Albany,
Et Al, 2/2/71, entitled "COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION, RACIAL MATTERS;" and Bureau airtel to New Haven,
2/17/71.

The following is a 90-day summary of Counterintelligence
Program activities within the New Haven Division:

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

New Haven is presently preparing to submit the following
proposals:

A. A letter to the editor of the "New Haven Register"
mildly chiding them for publication of a recent article concerning
the fact that HUEY P. NEWTON lives in a plush \$650 per month
apartment in Oakland, California. The article was an "AP"
release but was published in conjunction with a second article
concerning the fact that 28 Panthers had not been killed by
police but, in fact, only the case of WILLIAM HAMPTON has turned
out to be a bona fide police-Panther action. Both these articles
caused embarrassment to the Panthers locally in New Haven.

B. The Black Panther Party in New Haven is attempting
to obtain a new headquarters at 259 Dixwell Avenue. The reason
the Panthers must vacate the present headquarters at 35 Sylvan
Avenue is the fact that they have completely destroyed this
residence and it is uninhabitable. The plumbing, electrical
and heating systems are in extremely bad shape.

Counterintelligence measures are under consideration
in order to attempt to foil the efforts of the BPP in securing
new headquarters.

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II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

The anonymous letter to ^{over}Cleveland in which the Bureau authorized on 2/17/71 has been sent.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

During the month of January, numerous black businesses were visited by Bureau Agents, New Haven. Copies of the Counterintelligence documents entitled "Ten Point Program" and "Like It Is" were observed in many of these firms.

New Haven proposed a Counterintelligence measure in connection with the proposed television appearance of HUEY NEWTON but this appearance was cancelled at the last moment.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTERESTS

There is a great deal of strife and internal bickering in the New Haven BPP. The New Haven Office will make every effort to exploit this strife through the Counterintelligence Program.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/26/71

FROM : *VAS*
SAC, MOBILE (157-2578) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Mobile letter to Bureau 11/30/70.

1) Operations Under Consideration

None.

2) Operations Being Effectuated

None.

3) Tangible Results

The Bureau, by letter dated January 6, 1971, authorized anonymous contact with [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] where NOI meetings were being held, reportedly without the knowledge of [REDACTED]. As the Bureau was advised in Mobile letter, January 11, 1971, [REDACTED] was contacted under suitable pretext at which time he said that he had just learned from congregation members about the NOI meetings and as a result had prohibited them from holding further meetings at this church. This was verified by [REDACTED]

In response to Bureau airtel dated 1/13/71, the Mobile office anonymously mailed 18 copies of a reprint of an article from "The Hilltop" to individuals and organizations at colleges and universities in the Mobile Division, with the view of damaging the degree of sympathy for the BPP in black communities. No results of this action have been noted as of now.

Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

None

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (157-438) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: March 1, 1971

Re Minneapolis letter to Bureau, dated December 1, 1970.

Since referenced letter, there has been no racially oriented violence in the Minneapolis Division. There is currently no Black Panther Party or parties of the National Committee to Combat Fascism in the Minneapolis Division.

Sources report that the Black Panther Party newspaper has not been distributed or received in numbers in the Minneapolis Division since the arrest and incarceration of [REDACTED] in late November, 1970, who is presently an inmate in Stillwater Prison.

Sources also report that the KATHLEEN KLEVER, Community Center at 414 East 38th Street, has been inactive since [REDACTED] incarceration, and no meetings or other activities have been reported at that center.

The Minneapolis Division is constantly alerted for information concerning any Black Panther Party activity and for counterintelligence matters to combat this group.

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Date: 2/8/71

Transmit the following in _____

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Via AIRTEL _____

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189)(P)

RE: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION
RM

Re Buairtel, 2/2/71.

The Cleveland Office proposes the following plan which the office believes will disrupt the Ohio Chapter of NCCF at Cleveland, Ohio.

Cleveland proposes that an anonymous letter be sent to [REDACTED] advising [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This information was previously [REDACTED]
This information reflected that [REDACTED]
as kicking back up [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] was heard to refer to this [REDACTED]

Because of [REDACTED] previous disputes with [REDACTED] is suspicious of [REDACTED] and derogatory information regarding [REDACTED] would probably be seized upon immediately by [REDACTED]

The letter to [REDACTED] would be sent on paper without water mark and will be enclosed in an envelope without water mark. The letter would be in a literary form typical of members of the Cleveland NCCF.

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2 - Cleveland
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Per [REDACTED]

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It is felt that the above-described counter-intelligence measure would greatly increase friction between members of the Cleveland Chapter of the NCCF because of [redacted] loyal work in the past and [redacted] recent assumption of power in Cleveland NCCF. It is believed a rupture in the party between [redacted] and [redacted] supporters would occur as the result of the above-described action.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/26/71

FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (157-785) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re: New Haven airtel to Bureau 2/4/71
Bureau airtel to New Haven 2/17/71

On 2/24/71, an anonymous letter was mailed to
ELDRIDGE CLEAVER in Algiers.

San Francisco remain alert for any tangible results
for anonymous mailing.



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2 - New Haven
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/26/71

SAC, OMAHA (157-272) (P)

SUBJECT:

COINTELPO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re quarterly letter submitted in captioned
program dated 12/1/70.

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| 1. Operations under consideration | 0 |
| 2. Operations being effected | 0 |
| 3. Tangible results | 0 |
| 4. Developments of counterintelligence
interests | 0 |

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1 - Cleveland Guidance Folder
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Cleveland (157-1189)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2308 *Adrian*

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
RM

Reurairtels both dated 2/8/71 setting forth plans to disrupt the National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF) at Cleveland and to cause friction between National BPP headquarters and Cleveland NCCF.

No action can be taken on your proposals until the Bureau has been furnished the verbatim text of the communications you proposed to forward as indicated in referenced airtels. Promptly furnish text of both proposed communications to the Bureau.

WHA:cal
—(6) *pe/s*

NOTE:

No action can be taken on the proposals of the Cleveland Office since it did not indicate text of communications it desired to utilize in these counterintelligence operations.

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. Sullivan _____
Mr. Mohr _____
Mr. Bishop _____
Mr. Brennan CD _____
Mr. Callahan _____
Mr. Casper _____
Mr. Conrad _____
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Mr. Felt _____
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Mr. Rosen _____
Mr. Tavel _____
Mr. Walters _____
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Miss Holmes _____
Miss Gandy _____

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FBI

Date: 2/8/71

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
 FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189) (P)
 RE: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER
 PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION
 RM

Re Bureau airtel, 2/2/71.

The Cleveland Office proposes the following plan which the office believes will disrupt the Ohio Chapter of NCCF and cause friction between National Headquarters and Cleveland.

[REDACTED] the NCCF. [REDACTED] moved quickly to assume power, and according to the Cleveland sources, within the NCCF, [REDACTED] enjoys being in the driver's seat.

--It is proposed by Cleveland that an anonymous letter be sent by Cleveland to BPP Headquarters claiming to represent the views of a group of NCCF members. The text of the letter would claim that [REDACTED] is establishing a "personality cult" within the Cleveland NCCF and forced [REDACTED] to leave the party. The letter would also state that [REDACTED] left the party quietly because he did not wish to be a divisive influence. [REDACTED] would be accused of power play tactics and delusions of personal grandeur. The letter would also demand that a representative from National Headquarters of the BPP be sent to Cleveland to investigate these charges.

It is believed that the above proposal could

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 2 - Cleveland

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result in a rupture of the tenuous relationship, of the Cleveland Chapter and National Headquarters of the BPP.

The proposed letter would be sent on unwatermarked paper in plain envelope and constructed in a literary style typical of a member of the NCCF in Cleveland.

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448006)

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-601) (P) 1P

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Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan	CD
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Dalbey	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. S.	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RM.

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM

BLACK NATIONALIST - HMP GROUPS

RESFTEL FEBRUARY NINE LAST, SETTING FORTH TEXT OF LETTER

TO BE MAILED TO [REDACTED]

LETTER WAS MAILED TO [REDACTED] SPECIAL DELIVERY FROM SANTA CRUZ, CALIFORNIA. LATE EVENING OF FEBRUARY ELEVEN LAST,

[REDACTED] CONTACTED HUEY NEWTON, STATING HE HAD RECEIVED SPECIAL DELIVERY LETTER THAT HUEY SHOULD SEE AND HE BELIEVED IT WAS WRITTEN BY SOMEBODY ON THE INSIDE BECAUSE OF THE SPECIFICS THAT WERE SET FORTH IN THE LETTER. [REDACTED] STATED THE GUY BRINGS IT REAL CLOSE TO HOME, SO CLOSE VERY FEW PEOPLE ARE SUPPOSE TO KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT. HE BELIEVES HUEY CAN NARROW THE MATTER DOWN AS HE SHOULD KNOW WHO HAS THIS INFORMATION.

HUEY STATES HE IS DEFINITELY OF THE OPINION THERE IS AN INFORMER IN THE PARTY RIGHT IN THE MINISTRY.

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Date: 2/24/71

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via W AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS

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O COMMUNIST/BLACK - POSTED - BLACK EXTREMISTS - HATE GROUP

ReBuairtel 2/18/71.

Enclosed for Sacramento is a copy of the 1/30/71
issue of "The Black Panther".San Francisco is not in possession of further
copies.

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- ② Bureau (RM)
- 2 - Sacramento (Enc.1) (100-894) (RM)
- 1 - San Francisco
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Date: 2/22/71

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL - REGISTERED
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (167-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS

RM COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAMBLACK NATIONALIST

ReBuairtel to Baltimore 2/17/71, enclosing a copy of BAairtel 2/9/71.

Baltimore points out that dissatisfaction and suspicion has been directed toward [REDACTED] since he has [REDACTED] and loyal members have been purged and the BPP in Baltimore has been having financial difficulty.

From the viewpoint of the Bureau it would appear that [REDACTED] chapter and there would be nothing to be gained by pointing out his deficiencies to National Headquarters.

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BA then proposed
was under consideration
Along with others
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1 - Baltimore (157-2520) (RM)
1 - San Francisco
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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE
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To: SAC, Las Vegas

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From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2304

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 2/19/71.

Prior to taking any action of a counterintelligence nature, as set forth in referenced airtel, full particulars of your planned action should be furnished to the Bureau with a request for Bureau approval. No action should be taken in this regard without obtaining prior Bureau approval. Promptly submit details of your proposed action.

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(5) *pk*

NOTE:

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.. Las Vegas Office indicated a plan to exploit current dissension existing in local chapter of BPP utilizing sources and anonymous contacts of members to create impression that one of the leaders was cooperating with the Bureau. No specifics were furnished. In view of this, it is felt above instructions are necessary.

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Date: 2/19/71

Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, LAS VEGAS

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENTION
RII

ReBuairtel to Albany and other offices, 2/2/71,
captioned as above.

In accordance with referenced airtel, this communication sets forth Las Vegas recommendations to create dissention on a local level within the ranks of the Black Panther Party oriented organization, namely the Community Information Center (CIC).

_____ have recently advised that some of the workers in the CIC are voicing strong criticism of local leadership of the CIC and in fact at least five persons recently have been dropped or disassociated themselves from the CIC.

_____ further advised that _____ has recently been elevated to a position described as _____ Las Vegas. _____ further note that _____ is more intelligent than _____ and has more leadership potential, and that CIC workers give more respect to _____ than they do to _____.

Las Vegas plans to exploit the current dissention that exists in the CIC and through informants, as well as interviews with CIC workers and other timely tactics such as anonymous contacts of worker members, create the impression that _____ is furnishing information to the FBI.

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[redacted] It is felt that if the close ties between [redacted] and [redacted] are disrupted it will have a far reaching effect on the local organization, as well as its members.

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2/25/71

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1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Indianapolis (157-761)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 7303

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 2/9/71.

Before approval is given to [REDACTED]

Bureau needs additional information as to what specific plans you contemplate. Promptly furnish such and undertake no counterintelligence operation in this regard without Bureau authority.

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NOTE:

All offices having BPP chapters instructed by Bureau airtel dated 2/2/71 to submit proposals, one local and one national, in an attempt to further dissension existing in the BPP. Indianapolis' proposal merely stated

[REDACTED] Indianapolis chapter.

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Date: 2/9/71

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, INDIANAPOLIS (157-761)
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Bureau airtel dated February 2, 1971.

Submitted herewith is a proposal of the Indianapolis Division aimed at increasing local dissension within the Indianapolis Chapter of the Black Panther Party (BPP).

A close analysis of weaknesses and problems within the Indianapolis Branch of the BPP shows that a "power struggle" seems to exist at this time between the [redacted] and the [redacted] and Area [redacted]

[redacted] is the [redacted] Association and [redacted] is a recent import from the East Coast. [redacted] is ambitious and capable having recently organized a branch of the BPP consisting of 25 - 30 members and associates. [redacted] has indicated that [redacted] presents a threat to his leadership and objects to her ambitious nature. [redacted] appears to be a dedicated revolutionary probably because of her youth and ambition.

Because of [redacted] primary concern with "doing good" and his following the BPP line in order to stay within the organization, the Indianapolis Division proposes that the

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Special Agent in Charge

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[REDACTED] in the Indianapolis Chapter. Consideration has been given to bringing [REDACTED] on charges of violation of Rule 4 of the BPP in order to affect the demotion of [REDACTED]. It is hoped that such charges will de-emphasize her status in the BPP which will cause further dissension between her and [REDACTED]. The Indianapolis Division proposes that that provocation be conducted on a continuing basis and that other sources who are determined to be in a position to assist in this proposal be employed therein if their availability arises.

It is hoped that implementation of this proposal will cause enough dissension in the leadership ranks of the local chapter so as to occupy that leadership on an almost full-time basis in administrative details leaving little, if any time, for conduct of BPP field activities.

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FBI

Date: 2/9/71

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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL - REGISTERED

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
 FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-4054) (P)
 RE: COINTELPRO
 BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
 RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
 BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, etc., dated 2/2/71,
 entitled "COINTELPRO-BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)- DISSENSION,
 RACIAL MATTERS, BUDED: 2/10/71".

Per Bureau instructions in referenced communication,
 the following proposal is designated to provoke the existing
 difficulty between ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and HUEY NEWTON and to
 create dissension between BPP headquarters and the Los
 Angeles chapter because of the suggestion to CLEAVER Los
 Angeles sought direction from him. As the expulsion of
 [REDACTED] a topical subject in Los
 Angeles, it is also felt that matter has provocative value.
 It is proposed the following letter be sent to CLEAVER from
 an unidentified individual close to the BPP in Los Angeles:

Dear Eldridge,

[REDACTED] I'm sorry for the necessity of writing this way
 but I fear another blood-letting power struggle
 like with [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and I
 can't relate to that old bull [REDACTED]. Eldridge,
 things are bad enough here in Babylon that we
 don't need Huey coming back and f [REDACTED] things up.

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 2 - Los Angeles
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 Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

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His pipe dreams ramblings about intercommunalism make me think that nigger is going crazy, and that ain't no bull _____. The party can't understand that intercommunalism s _____ and the people laugh when we try to explain it. The masses related to the 10 point program but Huey's really on an ego trip this time and everyone is afraid to challenge the fool.

Huey went too far in expelling _____ from the party too. _____ was a righteous brother and heavy politically so LA ain't digging this old bull _____ about the brother working for the CIA. The people, especially the GI's related to _____ and they loved him and he loved the people. Eldridge there are brothers and sisters here in LA that aren't relating to orders from up north and these dudes ain't revisionists. They're loyal to the party and were loyal to Huey, but they lived with _____ and knew where he was at and we don't know where Huey's at any more. Some brothers been saying LA could have split from national if _____ and _____ especially _____ even though she denounced G, wasn't sent up north. They related to G and we can dig that and when G gets out some of the brothers will f _____ the party if G says. Hueys no f _____ god.

The people might not relate to Huey living in that pad up north and letting the niggers take care of themselves. He don't trust nobody no more either. He must be afraid that _____ and Big Man's loyaltys was with you because he i _____ with them too. He don't even trust _____ no more and has to know what everybody's doing and nobody can do anything without his ok.

We need some guidance Eldridge or the party is going to fall apart. I don't know what happened to Huey but if you gave the word I think LA would

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take directions from you, but now we hardly know anything about the international section. Communications is really f_____ up and nobody knows what's happening with Huey.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE.

No further action will be taken in this matter without Bureau approval.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

2-19-71

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Los Angeles (157-4054)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2301

COINTELPRO
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

Reurairtels 2-8-71 and 2-9-71 captioned as above.

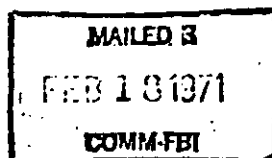
Your suggestions concerning the anonymous sending of a handbill described in referenced airtel 2-8-71 and letter to Eldridge Cleaver described in referenced airtel 2-9-71, in connection with captioned program have merit. Bureau has both under consideration in connection with the overall course of action against the national BPP and you will be advised if any future action desired.

JFM:bee
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NOTE:

The handbill would be sent anonymously to Huey Newton and all existing BPP officers in an effort to further provoke Newton's displayed instability. The letter to Cleaver is designed to provoke the existing difficulty between Eldridge Cleaver and Huey Newton and would be sent from an unidentified individual close to the BPP in Los Angeles. We are screening suggestions received from various offices to select those suitable for effective counterintelligence actions against the BPP.

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FBI

Date: 2/8/71

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL - REGISTERED MAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-4054) (P)

RE: COINTELPRO
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE - BPP

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Re Los Angeles letter to Bureau 1/29/71, captioned as above; Bureau airtel to Boston 1/28/71, captioned, "COINTELPRO-BLACK EXTREMISTS - RM."

In referenced Los Angeles letter was noted an attempt at disturbing the egocentric Black Panther Party (BPP) Supreme Commander, HUEY NEWTON. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was discreetly encouraged to protest the BPP's handling of his brother and publicly denounce the Party and its leadership. It is felt that criticism of the BPP would be most effective if undertaken by someone comparatively close to it.

In addition, it is suggested the following handbill be anonymously sent to NEWTON and all existing BPP Offices in an effort to further provoke NEWTON's displayed instability:

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2 - San Francisco (157-601)(RM)
2 - Los Angeles

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Approved: [Signature]
Special Agent in Charge

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CRIMES AGAINST THE PEOPLE

HUEY P. NEWTON

NEWTON has been found guilty of avaricious exploitation of the masses, use of the revolution for personal wealth and recognition, selling out the people to white mother country liberals and wreckless vamping on [REDACTED] and other revolutionary brothers.

DANGER

NEWTON is known to be emotionally unstable and on the brink of mental breakdown. Use caution when approaching.

ALL POWER TO THE PEOPLE

AND IMMEDIATELY RETURN [REDACTED]

TO THE PEOPLE'S VANGUARD

As usual, if the above proposal is approved, appropriate measures will be used to insure the Bureau's identity is not revealed as the source. Results of the proposal will be immediately forwarded to the Bureau.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

3/3/71

airtel

To: SAC, San Francisco (157-601)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2300

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTER

Rcirtel, 3/1/71.

You are not authorized to send the letter from Huey P. Newton to the President of Algeria at this time.

Your proposal certainly has merit. However, Newton has already stated he will contact the Government of Algeria and North Korea; and a duplication would not be desirable.

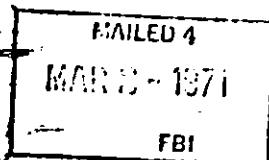
San Francisco should consider encouraging Newton through appropriate informants to do this. Follow this matter closely to determine if Newton does take such action. If no such action is taken within a reasonable period of time, you may desire to again propose counterintelligence action of this nature.

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NOTE:

San Francisco proposed letter to President of Algeria on Black Panther Party (BPP) letterhead over facsimile of Newton's signature stating that Eldridge Cleaver no longer represents BPP, that Cleaver and his associates have betrayed the Party, and a successor will be named.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448006)

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-601) 3P

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COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RM.

Racial Matter

IN AN EFFORT TO UNDERCUT CLEAVER'S POSITION IN ALGIERS AND
TO POSSIBLY CAUSE THE EXPULSION FROM THAT COUNTRY OF BLACK
PANTHER BUREAU FUGITIVES, BUREAU PERMISSION IS REQUESTED TO
FORWARD THE FOLLOWING LETTER OSTENSIBLY FROM HUEY P. NEWTON TO
THE PRESIDENT OF ALGERIA:

"HIS EXCELLENCY HOUARI BOUMEDIENNE

PRESIDENT

REPUBLIC OF ALGERIA

ALGIERS, ALGERIA

"YOUR EXCELLENCY:

"PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT ELDRIDGE CLEAVER IS NO LONGER
ASSOCIATED WITH THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY AND CAN NO LONGER

END PAGE ONE

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PAGE TWO

REPRESENT OUR REVOLUTIONARY PARTY AS AMBASSADOR TO YOUR COUNTRY.
FOR YOUR INFORMATION, CLEAVER AND HIS ASSOCIATES IN ALGERIA,
BY DIVISIVE TACTICS, HAVE BETRAYED THE PARTY AND THE
REVOLUTION AND ARE ADHERING TO THE CULT OF PERSONALITY.

"YOU WILL BE ADVISED LATER OF A SUCCESSOR FOR MR. CLEAVER.

"I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR MANY PAST FAVORS AND INTEREST
IN OUR CAUSE.

"VERY RESPECTFULLY YOURS,

HUEY P. NEWTON

MINISTER OF DEFENSE AND SUPREME COMMANDER

BLACK PANTHER PARTY

OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA"

SAN FRANCISCO RECOMMENDS THIS SINCE IT WILL GIVE OSTENSIBLE,
OFFICIAL WRITTEN BPP NOTIFICATION TO ALGERIAN GOVERNMENT OF
CLEAVER'S EXPULSION FROM BPP. NEWTON NOTIFIED CLEAVER
TELEPHONICALLY AND PLANS TO PRINT A NOTICE IN THE BPP PAPER
END PAGE TWO

PAGE THREE

BUT IT IS NECESSARY THAT ALGERIAN GOVERNMENT RECEIVE SOME WRITTEN NOTICE AND FOR THIS REASON LETTER WILL BE SENT ON BPP LETTERHEAD STATIONERY WHICH IS IN POSSESSION OF THE OFFICE AND SIGNED WITH EXACT FACSIMILE OF NEWTON'S SIGNATURE.

SUCH WRITTEN NOTICE SHOULD CAUSE THE ALGERIAN GOVERNMENT TO DECLARE CLEAVER AND OTHER FUGITIVE ASSOCIATES PERSONA NON GRATA IN ALGIERS, AND MAY LEAD TO APPREHENSION IF EXPELLED FROM ALGIERS.

END

AND HOLD

MR. TRAMER
ROOM 724 934

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

3/2/71

Airtel

To: SAC, Cleveland (157-1189)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2291

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtels 2/8/71 and 2/23/71.

You are authorized to send the typewritten note to [redacted] at the National Committee to Combat Fascism in Cleveland in accordance with the text set forth in your 2/23/71 airtel. The complimentary closing, however, should be "Power to the People."

Insure paper and envelope utilized are plain and available for purchase through sales outlets in Cleveland. Insure this letter cannot be traced to Bureau or Bureau employees.

Bureau should be advised of any tangible results.

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NOTE:

COINTELPRO is code word for counterintelligence program. Cleveland has ascertained that [redacted] Cleveland NCCF, has been receiving kickbacks from a Negro attorney. Suggested text of letter suggests that [redacted] has been stealing from NCCF funds and is addressed to the recently appointed new head of this group who in the past has had disputes with [redacted] Letter is in [redacted]

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Airtel to Cleveland
Re: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
DISSENSION

NOTE CONTINUED:

literary style commensurate with members of NCCF Cleveland, most of whom are college students. Cleveland suggested the phrase "Shoot to Kill" as complimentary closing. ~~Felt~~ Suggested complimentary closing is preferable.

In view of past disputes between [redacted] and [redacted] and in view of truthfulness of allegations, it is felt this proposal could cause significant disruption of NCCF in Cleveland. There is no possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau.

FBI

Date: 2/23/71

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
 FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189) (P)
 RE: COINTELPRO BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
 DISSENSION
 RM

Re CV airtel to Bureau, 2/8/71; Buairtel to CV,
 2/16/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau is one copy of the text
 of a letter proposed by CV in reairtel. This letter,
 addressed to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is brief and written in a literary
 style as nearly as possible commensurate with members of
 the NCCF, CV.

It is felt that this letter is appropriate at this
 time accusing [REDACTED] with
 stealing money since [REDACTED] is presently claiming that
 [REDACTED] was expelled
 from the party for theft of party funds. This letter to
 [REDACTED] would be sent on paper without watermark in an unmarked
 plain envelope.

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Approved: _____
 Special Agent in Charge

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[] []
[REDACTED]
NCCF Cleveland

Dear [REDACTED]

Some of us are unhappy about [REDACTED] being in the party because we think he is a no good nigger. He is no better than the pigs because he has taken money from the people. He has braged to some legs how he got money from lawyers for defending brothers in jail. [REDACTED] says he paid the lawyer with NCCF money and that the lawyer gave part of the money back to [REDACTED]. We think [REDACTED] been using NCCF money and is jiving the party. We think you should take a look at this and see if this isn't true. We know you are a true brother and will drive the nigger lackies from the party.

Shoot to kill

Your Brothers and Sisters

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

3/2/71

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

airtel

To: SAC, Cleveland (157-1189)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2277

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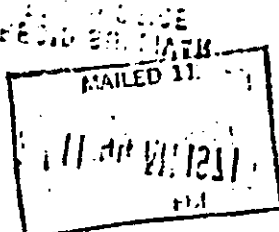
Cleveland is authorized to send the letter proposed by referenced airtel, insuring that the mailing cannot be traced to the Bureau.

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NOTE:

Cleveland proposed letter to Huey P. Newton, BPP Supreme Commander at BPP National Headquarters, from members of Cleveland National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF), complaining that [REDACTED] kicked out by [REDACTED] "a power mad nigger." [REDACTED] recently took over the NCCF after [REDACTED] was accused of stealing money. Purpose is to place [REDACTED] in disfavor with National Headquarters and/or cause National to disband the Cleveland NCCF for rebelling against Headquarters.

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Date: 2/23/71

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AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
 FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189) (P)
 RE: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
 DISSENSION
 RM

Re CV airtel to Bureau, 2/8/71; Buairtel to CV,
 2/16/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau is one copy of the text
 of a letter proposed in re CV airtel. The text of the letter
 is written as near as possible in a style commensurate with
 the membership of the BPP in CV.

Enclosed letter would be handwritten on unwatermarked
 paper and sent in a plain envelope to National Headquarters
 of the BPP in Oakland, Cal.

CV believes that this proposal at this time is
 especially apropos as a result of claims made to [REDACTED]
 that [REDACTED] deposed NCCF leader in CV, was stealing
 money. Members have not readily accepted this idea that [REDACTED]
 was misappropriating funds as he was considered to be very straight

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Approved: _____
 Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

Huey P. Newton
Supreme Commander
Black Panther Party
Oakland, California

Dear Huey, Power!

We are writing to you because we believe the NCCF Chapter here is in big trouble. Some of us brothers and sisters are deeply troubled by things happening here. Our leadership isn't functioning like it should. [REDACTED] who has been [REDACTED] is being kicked out of the party by [REDACTED]. We believe the pigs have sent [REDACTED] into the Black community disguised as a Panther to ruin us. If [REDACTED] is not a pig then he is guilty of not listening to the people because [REDACTED] has been a strong leader feared by the pigs and nigger lackies. We believe [REDACTED] is a power mad nigger who has forced [REDACTED] our leader into helpless condition. [REDACTED] has been aided by other niggers who fail to adhere to the intercommunal thoughts of Huey P. Newton. [REDACTED] has not fought against the stabs from the knives of [REDACTED] because he does not wish to break apart the NCCF with fractional war.

We are unable to save our party without help from National Headquarters. [REDACTED] has terrorized the members with threat of killing. We need help if the struggle can continue.

Brother Huey for our movement and for our Cleveland brothers and sisters send us help. Please send us someone from National Headquarters to save the party from the pigs and niggers who wish to destroy us.

All Power to the People
You can kill a Revolutionary,
but you can't kill a Revolution

Concerned Brothers and Sister
NCCF, Cleveland

100 - 448006 - 229878

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/26/71

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Chicago letter dated 12/1/70, captioned as above (quarterly progress).

Set forth herewith is the periodic progress letter concerning captioned matter.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

The Bureau has previously advised that it would be sufficient to note dates on which letters have been submitted regarding captioned matter for the period covered by the quarterly letter.

Since the date of referenced letter, these letters have been submitted as follows:

12/7/70; 12/15/70, 1/19/71; 2/9/71; 2/11/71.

Chicago continues to analyze the available current information regarding local Black Panther Party (BPP) activity in a continuing effort to determine what, if any, such information may be of assistance in the development of a counterintelligence effort. The BPP continues to be considered the focal point for counterintelligence.

II. & III. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED AND TANGIBLE RESULTS OBTAINED

Reference has previously been made to the specific counterintelligence actions initiated by Chicago and those actions in which this office participated which were initiated by other offices. No information has been received indicating tangible results of these actions.

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Chicago continues to advise local authorities of instances where BPP members appear vulnerable to arrest on local charges.

Information has regularly been disseminated by Chicago to other Bureau offices for local dissemination in instances where Chicago BPP members have traveled elsewhere. Prior knowledge of the presence of BPP members in their areas has been of value in alerting local authorities to the potential for violence that the presence of BPP members represents.

IV. DEVELOPMENT OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

There are no current developments concerning the Illinois Chapter of the BPP which would appear to have reasonable potential for counterintelligence activity.

Regarding the remainder of local Black Nationalist groups and individuals, their activity is fragmented and limited. Chicago continues to follow such activity in the event information is developed which would indicate a counterintelligence effort would appear to have reasonable potential.

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Date: 2/9/71

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Via _____

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AIRMAIL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SPRINGFIELD (157-1053) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS*Nationalist Hate Groups*

BUDED 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel dated 2/2/71.

This counterintelligence proposal is aimed at creating dissension at Black Panther Party (BPP) National headquarters.

[REDACTED] advised that HUEY P. NEWTON, Supreme Commander of BPP, has a speaking engagement scheduled for Illinois State University (ISU), Normal, Illinois, on 2/19 or 21/71. Source advised that this engagement might possibly be canceled despite fact contract has been signed for NEWTON'S appearance at ISU, because \$1,000 raised as a deposit for his appearance had apparently been utilized at Normal for other purposes. Source indicated that the individual involved in the taking of the \$1,000 in Normal was one [REDACTED]

It is recommended that Bureau approval be given to implement the following counterintelligence measure.

It is felt that an anonymous mailing of the following letter would tend to aggravate matters at BPP National headquarters, which is already plagued by financial difficulties.

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- 4 - Springfield
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Special Agent in Charge

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HUEY NEWTON

Brother HUEY

When the rumor started that you might appear here at Illinois State University, Normal, Illinois, to speak - all the Brothers and Sisters in the area eagerly chipped in and helped raise all the funds possible to pay for your appearance. We were able to raise about \$1,000 of your speaking fee. Now we hear rumblings that [REDACTED] who helped us raise the money and had control of it, has converted the money to his own use. Is this rumor true? Have you been paid your due? Are you going to appear at ISU as scheduled?

If you haven't been paid, who is [REDACTED] to answer to?

An interested Brother"

The cost to implement this measure would be minimal and there would be no embarrassment to the Bureau as a result of the anonymous mailing.

If approved, Springfield will mail these letters from Normal so that they will have appropriate postmark.

FBI

Date: 2/18/71

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Via _____

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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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ReSftel 2/12/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau is a photostat of a by-line story by ED MONTGOMERY, [REDACTED] carried in the "San Francisco Examiner" newspaper on 2/12/71, exposing HUEY NEWTON's residence in an expensive Oakland, California apartment. There is also enclosed a xerox copy of an article by TIM FINDLEY supposedly presenting NEWTON's view, printed in the "San Francisco Chronicle" of 2/18/71.

[REDACTED] reported that BPP Headquarters was besieged with inquiries after the printing of the "San Francisco Examiner" article and the people at headquarters refused to answer the news media or other callers on this question. This source has further reported that a representative of the Richmond, Virginia BPP contacted headquarters on 2/18/71, stating they had received a xeroxed copy of MONTGOMERY's article and believed it had been forwarded by the pigs but still wanted to know if it was true.

To counteract the disclosure of HUEY's high style living "The Black Panther" dated 2/20/71, carries a story covering all of Page 2, to the effect that the obtaining of the apartment for NEWTON by the BPP was for his security and that the apartment building where he was housed contained classed brothers of the establishment and an attack upon NEWTON would require an attack upon them.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/26/71

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (100-49654)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Newark letter to Bureau, 11/30/70.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

One proposal submitted by Newark airtel, 2/10/71, regarding dissension between a local BPP branch and national headquarters is presently under consideration by the Bureau.

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

No operations are presently being effected. All proposals which were approved by the Bureau have been completed.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

Tangible results cannot be directly attributed to any specific counterintelligence operations effected based on information presently available.

[REDACTED] that four female BPP members at the Jersey City, N.J., Headquarters had received anonymous letters ("Let's Compare The Ten Point Program of the Black Panther Party With 'Like It Is',") mocking the party. They believed the police were probably sending the letters.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

There have been no recent developments; however, Newark will remain alert for counterintelligence opportunities.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/26/71

FROM : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-5492) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReBUairtel to Albany, 3/4/68.

ReBUairtel instructs a 90-day progress letter be submitted using the following captions:

1. Operations Under Consideration

Birmingham does not have at present any counterintelligence operation under consideration.

2. Operations Being Effectuated

Birmingham does not have at present any counterintelligence operation in the process of execution, except for that initiated by BUairtel, 1/13/71.

3. Tangible Results

None known to date.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

None.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/26/71

FROM : SAs, MEMPHIS (100-4542) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS (PEOPLES REVOLUTIONARY PARTY -
NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO COMBAT FASCISM)

Re Memphis letter to Bureau 11/12/70.

90-DAY PROGRESS LETTER

I. COUNTERINTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

By separate letter the Memphis Office has requested Bureau permission to mail to each member and known sympathizer of the Peoples Revolutionary Party - National Committee to Combat Fascism (PRP-NCCF) at Memphis, Tennessee, a copy of an article captioned "Soph Class Examines Recent Panther Rejections," which appeared in Harvard University student newspaper, "The Hilltop."

It is believed that doubt regarding Black Panther Party concepts and aims can be created in the minds of members and sympathizers of the PRP-NCCF by an anonymous mailing of this article to all such members.

II. COUNTERINTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

A. The Memphis Office continues to furnish information of a restricted nature to trusted liaison sources and newspaper sources of the Memphis Office. Considerable information has been furnished to trusted reporters of local daily newspapers regarding plans and activities of the Black Panther Party oriented PRP-NCCF group at Memphis. Due to the successes of this program, every effort is being made to expand the dissemination on a confidential basis of information which can be used by local daily newspapers to discredit and embarrass the local Black Panther group known as PRP-NCCF.

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B. The anonymous mailing to selected newspapers, black organizations, colleges and universities within this division of reprints of an article captioned "Soph Class Examines Recent Panther Rejections," which appeared in the Harvard University student newspaper, "The Hilltop," have been made, but to date no information has been received concerning any positive results of this mailing.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS

The furnishing of certain information on a confidential basis to trusted local newspaper sources has been most successful. In January, 1971, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] was advised confidentially that the PRP-NCCF at Memphis had received a bundle of Black Panther Party newspapers and had called a meeting of their membership, which included a group of high school students, regarding the selling on the streets of Memphis of this Black Panther Party newspaper. At this meeting it was decided that all members of the PRP-NCCF and the group of high school students who were to help sell this paper would meet at an abandoned church in a Negro ghetto area where the Black Panther Party papers would be distributed to the individuals who were to sell these on the streets.

[REDACTED] was furnished the location of the meeting place and the time of the meeting, and it was suggested that she be at this church with a news photographer just prior to the appointed time of the meeting. [REDACTED] complied, and this resulted in an oral fight between members of this PRP-NCCF group. It created suspicion on the part of the membership that there was an informant in the group. As a result of this action, no longer are high school students being asked to help sell Black Panther Party newspapers. In addition, suspicion was cast on one [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] as being a police informant inasmuch as he was present at the original meeting but not present at the church where the Black Panther Party papers were distributed. TENN

This counterintelligence program also was successful in disrupting the breakfast program of the PRP-NCCF group. Information regarding the location of the breakfast program and the unsanitary conditions which

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existed in the church where this program was being conducted was furnished to [REDACTED]. This reporter visited the location of the breakfast program, attempted to interview persons connected with the breakfast program, and then wrote a derogatory article about the program and the unsanitary conditions under which the program operated. As a result, Memphis City health officials condemned the church building and the breakfast program was abandoned.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

It is still believed by the Memphis Office that the best counterintelligence operation against a black militant organization is the extremely close cooperation between Special Agents of the FBI handling racial matters and Intelligence Units or similar Police Department squads handling racial matters.

During the past three months, information received from racial informants, racial sources, and ghetto informants concerning the identities of automobiles used by black militants, possible criminal activity, and the use of drugs on the part of black militants has been furnished to the Memphis Police Department Intelligence Unit, with the request that the Special Services Squad, a select unit of officers who patrol and handle non-routine police matters, be advised.

The furnishing of this type of information has resulted in the local arrest of [REDACTED] on drug charges. [REDACTED] a former member of the black militant group at Memphis known as the Invaders, was recently released from prison after being convicted of the ambush shooting of a Memphis police officer.

[REDACTED] one of the leaders of the PRP-NCCF in Memphis, was arrested in the first week of February, 1971, charged with hit and run. This information regarding the hit and run was received from a [REDACTED] and was furnished to the Memphis Police Department, solving this hit and run accident.

Information received from an informant of the Memphis Office was immediately furnished to the Memphis Police Department to the effect that the PRP-NCCF members

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who had illegally occupied an apartment in a Memphis Housing Authority project were expecting to be raided by the Memphis Police Department in the early morning hours of 1/18/71 and as a result were sandbagging and otherwise barricading windows and doors of this apartment. As a result of the information furnished to the Memphis Police Department, the Memphis Police Department expedited this raid from 3:00 a.m. to around midnight, catching the PRP-NCCF members by surprise, catching them with guns without ammunition and without completing the sandbagging and barricading of this apartment. This in the minds of the Memphis Police Department no doubt prevented bloodshed and enabled the Memphis Police Department to successfully apprehend all subjects.

Information from Memphis informants enabled the Memphis Police Department to locate and apprehend, the day after the above arrests, two additional PRP-NCCF members who were not in the apartment house at the time of the above-mentioned raid.

Information furnished by Memphis informants, which was disseminated to the Memphis Police Department, concerning a Support ANGELA DAVIS Party attended by members of the Young Workers Liberation League (YWLL) and the PRP-NCCF, at which party juveniles were present, enabled the Memphis Police Department to conduct a raid on this party by Vice Squad officers and resulted in the arrest of Memphis subject [REDACTED] a YWLL leader at Memphis and a leader of the Committee to Free ANGELA DAVIS. In addition the identity of all persons at this Support ANGELA DAVIS Party was obtained. *Memphis of Young Workers Liberation League*

Information regarding the location and times of black militant meetings, parties and demonstrations and the locations at which PRP-NCCF members plan to sell copies of Black Panther Party newspapers and immediately furnished to the Memphis Police Department has resulted in close surveillance by the Memphis Police Department of these meetings, parties, and demonstrations. It has resulted in the identification of people taking part, whose identity was not known to the Memphis Office. As a side benefit, four of the five automobiles used by the PRP-NCCF are no longer being used due to being towed to Police Department

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storage lots for improper registration, unsafe condition of cars, or improper city stickers. This activity has cost the PRP-NCCF considerable money and has forced members to use public transportation.

In addition, Memphis informants report that as a result of this close scrutiny by the Memphis Police Department, there is considerable dissension in the ranks of the PRP-NCCF. The high school students who were being cultivated by the PRP-NCCF have fallen away, and the PRP-NCCF has been unable to sell all copies received of the Black Panther Party newspapers. The use of PRP-NCCF funds to settle minor traffic violations and improper registrations of automobiles and to bail cars out of Police Department storage lots has forced the PRP-NCCF to allow some seven members to remain in jail in lieu of \$300 bond.

The Memphis Office plans to continue and expand where possible this type of counterintelligence activity in working extremely closely with the Intelligence Unit of the Memphis Police Department in an effort to completely disrupt PRP-NCCF activities at Memphis, Tennessee. The Bureau will be kept advised of all developments.

2/17/71

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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EX-114

To: SAC, Chicago (157-2209)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2241

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

Reference is made to your two airtels 2/9/71 setting forth plans to disrupt the Chicago, Illinois, chapter of the Black Panther Party (BPP) and to cause friction between national BPP headquarters and Chicago BPP chapter.

Your recommendations are so interrelated that the Bureau feels consideration can only be given to approving one of the two proposals set forth. Both are under consideration by the Bureau and you will be advised if either is authorized.

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NOTE: Chicago for the purpose of causing dissension between Chicago BPP and national BPP headquarters recommended a letter be forwarded to BPP headquarters criticizing [REDACTED] endeavoring to adopt the same high standard of living that is enjoyed by BPP national commander Huey Newton. This recommendation is being held in abeyance and considered among many others being submitted by the field so that only the best recommendations are adopted.

Chicago also recommended a letter be forwarded to [REDACTED] in which it was indicated BPP members in Chicago would advise national BPP headquarters of the dissatisfaction they have with [REDACTED] his leadership and his alleged stealing from the receipts from sale of BPP newspapers.

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Date: 2/9/71

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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
 FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209) (P)
 SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
 RM

Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 2/2/71, captioned
 "COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION, RACIAL
 MATTERS".

The following is a proposed letter to be mailed to
 National Headquarters, Black Panther Party (BPP), aimed at creating
 dissension between the Illinois Chapter, BPP, and National
 Headquarters, BPP.

"Black Panther Party Headquarters, 1048 Peralta
 Street, Oakland, California.

"The brothers and sisters in Chicago are tired of
 freezing our ass off selling the paper here when [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] knocking down the bread we bring in off the street
 thats all supposed to go to national.

"If you keep a M.....F..... like [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] the brothers and sisters in Chicago that want to work
 for the revolution are going to split.

"If national doesn't bust [REDACTED] we'll bust the movement
 in Chicago.

- EX-114
 REC-4 100-448006-2291
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CO 157-2209

"Since [REDACTED] has been going to the coast he sees how the Supreme Commander lives. He thinks he is as good as Commander Newton so he is stealing off the top for his big car and lazy ass living.

"The revolution needs help in Chicago now.

"Power to the people."

This letter will be handwritten in full.

No action will be taken by Chicago until Bureau approval is received.

FBI

Date: 2/9/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS.
RM

Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 2/2/71, captioned
"COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION, RACIAL
MATTERS".

The following is a proposed letter to be mailed to
[REDACTED] Illinois Chapter
of the Black Panther Party (BPP) aimed at creating dissension
in the Illinois Chapter.

"Minister [REDACTED] you have been screwing off so long
you don't know what is going on.

"Some of the brothers have written a letter to send
to National where they tell them about you stealing from the
paper money. These brothers and sisters have been selling
the paper regular and doing other revolutionary work for the
people for a long time. They are tired of your shit.

"If you don't change your ways soon the brothers and
sisters are going to mail this letter and then

1. Send a delegation to National with a list of
our bitches
2. Going to the Defender and present our case
direct to the people pointing out the stealing
of money and the class system in the party and
the high living of you and your flunkies.

- cc 800 94D
- ② - Bureau (RM)
 - 1 - San Francisco (157-601) (Info) (RM)
 - 1 - Chicago

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Approved: *CWB*
7 MAR 3 1971 Special Agent in Charge

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Per [REDACTED]

G 157-2209

"In spite of our bitches with you personally we realize you represent the true revolutionary spirit in the black community but we feel you have lost sight of our revolutionary goals.

"It is now time for us to knock off all the counter-revolutionary bullshit and get on the case of fascist Babylon.

"Power to the people."

This letter will be handwritten.

No action will be taken by Chicago until Bureau approval is received.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. C. D. Brennan

FROM : G. C. Moore *GCM*

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr
1 - Mr. N. P. Callahan
(J. P. Dunphy)

DATE: 2/23/71

1 - Mr. C. D. Brennan
1 - [REDACTED]
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To secure approval for preparation of a caricature by the Exhibit Section of [REDACTED] Cairo, Illinois, in a counterintelligence operation. Also to secure approval for anonymous mailing of copies of this caricature to selected supporters of [REDACTED]

Cairo has been scene of numerous confrontations in past months between local authorities and some Negro residents. UF Cairo, predominantly black organization which has been boycotting white merchants in Cairo for the past 20 months, has played dominant role in agitating against local authorities. Investigation indicates that confrontations are being instigated primarily by [REDACTED] in order that he may benefit from resulting publicity. [REDACTED] Key Black Extremist.

Springfield Office has recommended preparation of a poster depicting [REDACTED] dressed in his typical expensive modish clothes. Slogans on the poster would emphasize the cost of [REDACTED] attire and inquire as to the source of his funds. Springfield has furnished photographs of [REDACTED] in his modish attire which would be used as the basis for the caricature.

It is felt that any diminution of [REDACTED] support in Cairo would be beneficial since he appears to be the single most important cause of confrontations occurring in Cairo.

Exhibit Section has advised it could prepare such posters at a nominal cost. They would be prepared on inexpensive paper acquired from a commercial outlet which could not be traced to the Bureau. Following preparation of this caricature, a limited number of copies would be mailed anonymously to supporters of [REDACTED]. Proper precautions would be taken to insure that Bureau could not be traced as the source.

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Memorandum to Mr. C. D. Brennan
Re: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS

ACTION:

1) Recommended that the Exhibit Section be authorized to prepare caricature and 50 copies thereof.

2) That Springfield be authorized to anonymously mail up to 50 copies of this caricature to selected supporters of [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

DATE: 2/22/71

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-4054)(P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL MATTERS -
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

Re Bureau airtel to Atlanta, et. al., dated 1/13/71, entitled "COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RACIAL MATTERS".

Copies of the article from "The Hilltop", Howard University, Washington, D. C., were anonymously sent to the following addressees:

Black Student Union (at the following institutions):

Allan Hancock College, Santa Maria
Art Center College of Design, Los Angeles
California State College at Fullerton
California State College at Long Beach
California State College at Los Angeles
California State Polytechnic College, Pomona
California State Polytechnic College, San Luis Obispo
Chapman College, Orange
Citrus College, Azusa
Claremont Men's College, Claremont
Compton College, Compton
Cypress Junior College, Cypress
East Los Angeles College, Los Angeles
El Camino College, Torrance
Golden West College, Huntington Beach
Immaculate Heart College, Los Angeles
Long Beach City College, Long Beach
Los Angeles City College, Los Angeles
Los Angeles Harbor College, Wilmington

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Los Angeles Pierce College, Woodland Hills
Los Angeles Southwest College, Los Angeles
Los Angeles Trade-Tech College, Los Angeles
Los Angeles Valley College, Van Nuys
Loyola University of Los Angeles
Mt. San Antonio College, Walnut
Occidental College, Los Angeles
Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa
Pasadena City College, Pasadena
Pepperdine College, Los Angeles
San Bernardino Valley College, San Bernardino
San Fernando Valley State College, Northridge
University of California, Irvine Campus
University of California, Los Angeles Campus
University of California, Riverside Campus
University of California, Santa Barbara Campus
University of Southern California, Los Angeles
Ventura College, Ventura
West Los Angeles College, Culver City
Whittier College, Whittier

Editor, Los Angeles Sentinel, 1112 East 43rd
Street, Los Angeles
Editor, Los Angeles Herald-Dispatch, 1431 West
Jefferson, Los Angeles
Black Panther Party, 2043 East Stockwell, Los
Angeles

To date, the Los Angeles Division has not become
aware of any reaction to the above mailing.

FBI

Date: 2/9/71

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, CINCINNATI (157-3786) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
RM

BUDED 2/10/71

ReBuairtel, 2/2/71.

The following proposal is aimed at creating dissension between the local Dayton, Ohio NCCF and/or leaders, and the National BPP Headquarters.

It is recommended the Cincinnati Division direct a letter from Dayton, in which reference is also made to the Chicago BPP, to the National Headquarters in Oakland, with a copy also sent to the New York BPP, which reads as follows:

"Brothers of Revolution

"We here in Dayton in the bowels of the Capitalist octopus believe it is time to speak our minds for the good of the Panthers and revolution against the pigs.

"We just finished some more training in Chicago and the same feeling we have is shared by many of our brothers all over this pig land.

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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Per

CI 157-3786

"We feel it is time Brother NEWTON stopped flying and came back to the realities of earth living and begin to rap and relate to the brothers again. It's time he stopped his king and palace living, We have been breaking our hump trying to sell the papers to finance the war and Brother NEWTON is spending the money like it's going out of style. He was better for the revolution when he was in prison than now because we don't feel that living high is making sacrifices for the revolution.

"We feel the same way about CLEAVER. It's easy to pull a rabbit punch against the pigs and then fade out like a big hero and just make noises about killing from some safe spot in Algiers.

"If he is going to lead let him lead from the battlefield not a picnic ground overseas. Let's tell him to put up or shut up - lead or get out.

"Let's make them live the revolution like the rest of us or move over and out and make way for fighters instead of parasites and big mouths.

"Fight and die if necessary
"Dayton, Ohio NCCF

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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To: SAC, San Francisco (157-601)

EX-111, REC-57
From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2286

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

Reurtel 2/24/71.

Authority to send letter to Eldridge Cleaver as proposed in referenced teletype is denied.

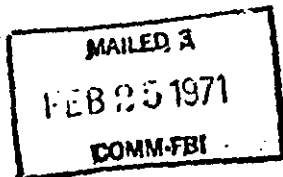
The Bureau feels this action would place the rest of our COINTELPRO activity in jeopardy and accordingly, is not warranted.

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--San Francisco proposed letter to Cleaver signed Huey P. Newton to be written in such a manner Cleaver will know it is not authentic. The proposed letter urges Cleaver to send Kathleen Cleaver to the U.S., and San Francisco feels the letter would alarm Cleaver and cause him to cancel Kathleen's proposed visit. However, we feel would cause other mail to be reviewed with suspicion and possibly jeopardize this very important program.

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9:10PM ITEL 2/24/71 JAK

TO DIRECTOR (100-448006)

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RM.

SAN FRANCISCO REQUESTS PERMISSION TO FORWARD LETTER TO ELDRIDGE CLEAVER SIGNED BY NEWTON, URGING CLEAVER TO ALLOW KATHLEEN TO DEPART FOR RALLY TO BE HELD IN OAKLAND ON MARCH FIVE NEXT. THIS LETTER WILL BE WRITTEN IN SUCH A MANNER CLEAVER WILL IMMEDIATELY KNOW IT IS NOT AUTHENTIC AND IT IS HOPED THAT IT WILL NOT ONLY STOP KATHLEEN CLEAVER'S TRIP TO THE U.S. BUT GIVE AUTHENTICITY TO OTHER COMMUNICATIONS PREVIOUSLY SENT TO HIM.

LETTER IS AS FOLLOWS:

"DEAR MINISTER CLEAVER:

DON'T ALLOW ANYTHING TO STOP KATHLEEN. WE NEED HER FOR THE RALLY.

~~END~~

REED

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MR. SULLIVAN FOR THE DIRECTOR

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TEL TO SF 2/26/71 RNB/CAL

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"DON'T WORRY ABOUT HER ^EBEING ARRESTED FOR HARBORING.

[REDACTED] HAS ASSURED ME THAT THERE IS NO
DANGER AND YOU KNOW MUCH I THINK OF HIM~~ER~~.

"POWER TO THE PEOPLE

"HUEY P. NEWTON"

CLEAVER SHOULD IMMEDIATELY SPOT THIS AS COMING FROM
"PIGS" BECAUSE NEWTON HAS BEEN CRITICAL OF [REDACTED] CONVERSATIONS
WITH CLEAVER. SAN FRANCISCO ALSO SUGGESTS THE LETTER BE WRITTEN
ON WATERMARKED GOVERNMENT BOND.

SUTEL AUTHORITY AS LETTER SHOULD BE MAILED
PROPTLY TO ACHIEVE RESULTS DESIRED.

END

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CC-MR. BRENNAN

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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TO SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-1203)

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (105-165429)

HENRY PERCY NEWTON, , NEW BLACK PANTHERIST; CONFIDENTIAL -
BLACK PANTHERISTS, IN. - BPP.

REURTEL SAN FRANCISCO TWENTYFOUR LAST.

ATTENTION SAN FRANCISCO TO IMMEDIATELY DIRECT
QUESTIONS ONE AND TWO REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED TELETYPE TO
NEWTON DURING HIS TV APPEARANCE AT SAN FRANCISCO TWENTY-
FOUR LAST, REGARDING NEWTON CANNOT BE TAPPED TO THE BUREAU.

Enclosed

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REURTEL

Newton scheduled to appear on San Francisco TV Program, 2/26/71, and will receive telephone questions. San Francisco on 2/24/71 proposed questions to be asked of Newton during similar appearance in New Haven, but Newton did not appear and questions not asked. San Francisco requested authority to call two of these questions to Newton during 2/25 appearance. The questions are: 1. Mr. Newton, Eldridge Cleaver has long been known as the most effective and articulate spokesman of the Black Panther Party. In view of this do you think Cleaver made a mistake in going to Algeria? 2. Mr. Newton, there has recently been an article in the New York Village Voice, issue of 1/23/71, in which Eldridge Cleaver viciously attacked Jerry Rubin and other New Left spokesmen, stating that the Black Panther was breaking all ties with him and people of this type. In regard to this article did you personally have any advance notice of Cleaver's intentions in stating this apparent new policy of the Black Panther Party and was this position taken by Cleaver approved of and formulated by you? Purpose is to exploit the existing rift between Newton and Cleaver.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

FEB 25 1971

TELETYPE

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8:49PM NITEL 2/24/71 JAK

TO DIRECTOR (105-165429)

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-1203)

HEUY PERCY NEWTON, AKA, RM-BPP; TREASON (KEY BLACK EXTREMIST).

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RM.

RELIABLE SOURCE ADVISED ON FEBRUARY TWENTYTHREE LAST THAT
NEWTON IS SCHEDULED TO APPEAR ON "A.M.", A PROGRAM
ON KGO TELEVISION, CHANNEL SEVEN, SAN FRANCISCO, AT SEVEN THIRTY
A.M., FEBRUARY TWENTYSIX NEXT. PROGRAM IS TYPE WHERE
LISTENERS CAN CALL IN AND ASK GUEST QUESTIONS AND JIM DUNBAR,
A NOTED RADIO AND TELEVISION PERSONALITY IN SAN FRANCISCO
AREA, IS THE HOST OF PROGRAM.

ON FEBRUARY TWENTYFOUR INSTANT, CONTACT WITH KGO TELEVISION
STATION DETERMINED NEWTON IS SCHEDULED TO APPEAR ON DUNBAR'S
PROGRAM AT SEVEN THIRTY A.M., FEBRUARY TWENTYSIX NEXT.

SOURCE FURTHER ADVISED NEWTON IS ALSO SCHEDULED TO
APPEAR ON SAN FRANCISCO RADIO STATION KDIA ON FEBRUARY TWENTY-
EIGHT NEXT FROM FOUR P.M. ON PROGRAM CALLED "BLACK
MONTAGE" (PHONETIC). SOURCE BELIEVES THIS PROGRAM WAS TAPED BY
NEWTON ON FEBRUARY TWENTYTHREE LAST.

END PAGE ONE

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Mr. Tolson	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
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Mr. Felt	
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Mr. Rosen	
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[REDACTED]

100-448005

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ACCORDING TO SOURCE, PURPOSE OF NEWTON'S APPEARANCES IS TO EXPLAIN TO PEOPLE IN COMMUNITY THE REASON HE IS LIVING IN HIGH-RISE APARTMENT BUILDING IN OAKLAND, IS FOR SECURITY REASONS.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

[REDACTED]

UACB, SAN FRANCISCO WILL HAVE AN EMPLOYEE CALL THE TELEVISION PROGRAM DURING NEWTON'S APPEARANCE ON FEBRUARY TWENTYSIX NEXT, AND ASK NEWTON QUESTIONS ONE AND TWO THAT WERE SET FORTH IN SAN FRANCISCO TELETYPE TO BUREAU DATED FEBRUARY FOUR LAST, CAPTIONED "BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - PUBLIC APPEARANCES, RM - BPP" AND "COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RM", WHICH HAVE ALREADY BEEN APPROVED BY THE BUREAU.

NEWTON'S STATEMENTS ON THE TELEVISION AND PROGRAMS WILL BE TAPED AND THE BUREAU ADVISED.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

1 - Mr [REDACTED]

2/25/71

airtel

To: SAC, Baltimore (157-2520)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2285

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

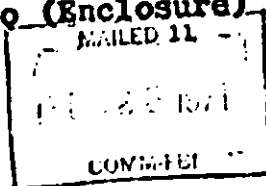
ReBAAirtel dated 2/12/71, copy enclosed for
San Francisco.

Authority denied to forward anonymous letter to
[REDACTED] since he is currently incarcerated,
Baltimore City Jail awaiting trial.

Although this proposal is being denied, you
should continue your efforts to disrupt the Black Panther
Party in Baltimore and advise Bureau of counterintelligence
proposals.

1 - San Francisco (Enclosure)

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NOTE:

[REDACTED] presently being held Baltimore City Jail
without bond on charge of conspiracy to murder [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] is the only white subject of the 12 that
have been indicted for the torture-murder of [REDACTED] by the
BPP. He is an important figure in this case since he is
a former law associate of attorney William F. Kunstler
and was a BPP attorney in New York. Baltimore proposed

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Airtel to Baltimore
Re: Cointelpro - Black Panther Party
Dissension
100-448006

NOTE CONTINUED:

to send an anonymous letter to [REDACTED] advising that [REDACTED] is having intimate relations with [REDACTED] Baltimore sources have indicated this intimate relationship exists between [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] however, this type of anonymous letter could be reviewed first by officials censoring inmate's mail and could possibly be used in some adverse manner by Kunstler, [REDACTED]

FBI

Date: 2/12/71

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via Airtel _____
(Priority)

To: Director, FBI (100-448006)
From: SAC, Baltimore (157-2520) (P*)
COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
RM
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ReBuairtel dated 2/2/71.

The following counterintelligence operation is being proposed aimed strictly at creating dissension within the local Baltimore, Maryland, branch of the Black Panther Party (BPP).

At the present time, [REDACTED] who has worked with WILLIAM KUNSTLER in New York is incarcerated in the Baltimore City Jail without bail. [REDACTED] recently had a bail hearing in Federal Court, Baltimore, Maryland. [REDACTED] again represented by WILLIAM KUNSTLER, who is attempting to have a bail set in order that [REDACTED] be released. [REDACTED] is being held in connection with the torture murder of [REDACTED] July, 1969, a suspected BPP police informant. To date Judge MILLER has not ruled on the recent bail hearing of 2/5/71.

Sources have advised that an intimate relationship exists between [REDACTED] Baltimore, [REDACTED] who is currently incarcerated. [REDACTED] is residing in Baltimore, Maryland, with individuals affiliated with an RYM/SDS commune.

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Special Agent in Charge

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Sources have also advised that BPP individuals selling their newspapers at a local shopping center in Baltimore have met with considerable opposition from members of the Nation of Islam (NOI). This opposition on one occasion consisted of one of the BPP members engaging in a fist fight with a Muslim.

The Baltimore Division feels that the above two situations appear to present excellent opportunities to cause dissension in the BPP locally.

Baltimore, therefore, requests authority to mail the following anonymous communication to [REDACTED] at the Baltimore City Jail:

"Baltimore, Maryland

"Power to the People

"Dear [REDACTED]

"Just thought you would like to have another reason for getting out of jail. Why don't you ask pure, lovable [REDACTED] about [REDACTED]. It seems [REDACTED] has been doing a little more than raising money for political prisoners, etc. In fact, understand he's been dealing with [REDACTED] quite well.

"Death to the Facist Pigs"

FBI

Date: 2/18/71

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AIRMAIL

Via _____

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, JACKSON (100-980) (P)

BLACK NATIONALIST-APRIL GROUPS
 COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
 (BLACK REVOLUTIONARY CONFERENCE,
 TOUGALOO COLLEGE,
 TOUGALOO, MISSISSIPPI,
 2/18-21/71)

Re Jackson airtel to Bureau, dated 2/1/71, and
 Bureau airtel to Jackson, dated 2/8/71.

On the afternoon of February 16, 1971, [REDACTED]

and [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] at a discreet location away from [REDACTED]. He was furnished public source type information regarding captioned conference and individuals affiliated with it, which would in no way compromise any Jackson Division sources.

[REDACTED] was very receptive to preparing an article along the guidelines referred to in first reference above. He was reminded that all information furnished him by the FBI was furnished on a confidential basis and he acknowledged he fully understood this.

[REDACTED] on page one of the Jackson Daily News, which has the largest circulation of any newspaper in Mississippi.

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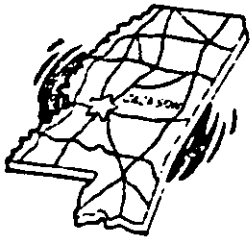
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Per _____

Special Agent in Charge

Covering the CROSS- ROADS



with
Jimmy Ward

Another annual spring hoe-down is scheduled at Tougaloo College this weekend with the purpose again being an attempt to attract a nationally-known extremist speaker or speakers to whip up some revolutionary frenzy in Mississippi. We have published details of previous spring festivals which have met with varied degrees of success and failure.

Comes this time a new organization, known as the Black Unity Coordinating Committee (BUCC) as the sponsors of a Black Revolutionary Conference at Tougaloo on Feb. 19-20.

BUCC was formed in the autumn of last year at Tougaloo primarily to plan this weekend's event, and the date set for the pow-wow is semi-sacred to black extremists, for Feb. 21, 1965, was the date of the assassination of Malcolm X. Little, an exconvict who was a Nation of Islam chief in New York who had split with the Black Muslims to set up his own empire for Afro-American Unity. Malcolm X was slain by Muslim fans while Malcolm was addressing a rally of some 400 followers.

BUCC bosses have seized the date for the Tougaloo conference with the goal of arranging the appearance of black extremists such as Huey Newton, commander of the Black Panther Party, and others of his radical category at Tougaloo in hopes of luring student participants from over the state, the South and elsewhere. Indications at this writing reveal these efforts to attract the big name radicals are not meeting with massive success.

This new outfit called BUCC is closely tied in with those recent disturbances at City Council in Jackson. BUCC has about 16 members—that's all. They are all black and most are males. They are said to meet periodically, usually on Monday nights at Tougaloo.

BUCC's chairman is Alfonso Todd, Jr., Negro male Tougaloo College senior from Birmingham. Todd is assisted by two Negro transfer students from Ole Miss where they were involved in some campus disorders before moving here.

Todd's close associate in BUCC affairs is Rudolph A. Shields who has been active in laying out demands in Jackson, noisily at City Council meetings. In his bumptious course through Mississippi, Shields has left many newspaper clippings and arrest records. He's 39, moved into Mississippi and Louisiana in the early 60's from Columbus, Ohio. When he first arrived in Mississippi he was a darling, a ramrod with the NAACP, promoting and leading various demonstrations.

The NAACP leaders publicly derided Shields as one of their organization in 1967, citing him and his activities as not of "constructive nature of the NAACP goals and policies."

But Shields did not agree
See CROSS ROADS Page 4A

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to the exile imposed upon him by responsible Negro leaders. He has promoted boycotts in Port Gibson, Hazlehurst, Indianola, Yazoo City, Belzoni and West Point. He's been in and out of the publicity arena and has been a frequent guest at police stations, being booked on such charges as disturbing the peace, assault and battery, trespassing, threatening and coercion and intimidating persons, possession of unregistered weapons and lesser traffic violations.

Shields has used a self-organized group called "The Spirits", made up of Negro toughie types, to enforce physically the sanctity of his own selected boycott lines to the displeasure of Negro victims and responsible Negro leaders.

Sources in West Point say that in the fall of 1970, Shields was in contact with Black Panther Party headquarters in San Francisco to get Panther leaders to come to Mississippi to boost an alleged Black United Front movement he was organizing. In that effort Shields again failed.

Comes now Shields to Jackson where his traffic around City Council is pretty well known.

Reportedly, Chairman Todd of BUCC is allied with Shields, at least for the time being, in hopes Shields can bring a Black Panther extremist to Tougaloo during the Feb. 19-21 Black Revolutionary Conference.

Although Shields has ambitions to initiate a black boycott in Jackson, it is interesting to note that Mayor Russell Davis—as well as Mayor Charles Evers of Fayette—have denounced Shields.

Shields and Todd are making big plans for this weekend, and a handful of white hippies are elbowing their way into the act either for kicks or for a weekend park.

So, there's another hoe-down in early spring at Tougaloo with revolution on the brain of BUCC.

The event can well bear the attention of law enforcement officers, Negro leaders and concerned citizens.

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[REDACTED] Jackson
Daily News article on the previous date and felt this article could definitely have a bearing on public attendance at the Black Revolutionary Conference, probably reducing attendance considerably. Source also feels that if Tougaloo College administration officials are aware of the article it could have a bearing on their allowing the conference to occur at all or it could influence them to restrict the appearance of any out-of-state extremists on the campus.

Jackson Division is following developments regarding the conference and results of counterintelligence measure.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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SAC, Savannah (157-629)

3/4/71

Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2283

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COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
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Reurlet 2/18/71.

The report on Black Panthers allegedly killed by police mentioned in referenced letter undoubtedly refers to an article by Edward Jay Epstein in "The New Yorker" magazine 2/13/71.

This article has been exploited by the Bureau for counterintelligence purposes and has received nationwide publicity. Therefore, inquiries as you suggest will not be made.

The Bureau appreciates your interest in this very important program and urges you to submit additional proposals.

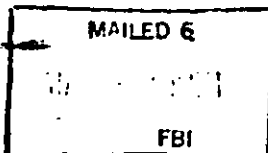
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NOTE:

Savannah reported that an NBC newscaster on 2/15/71 mentioned that a factual report had been made concerning the allegation that a large number of panthers have been killed by police. It was suggested that inquiries be made at NBC, New York, to identify author and obtain copies to be used in COINTELPRO.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/18/71

FROM : SAC, SAVANNAH (157-629) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

ReBuairtel to Albany, 2/2/71.

On 2/15/71, at 12 noon, JOHN CHANCELOR, NBC commentator, gave a five minute commentary, which was broadcast over radio station WBIA, Augusta, Ga. The commentary had to do with an investigation and report made by an unrecalled individual, into propaganda put out by Black Panthers alleging that police in the United States have murdered 39 Black Panthers during recent years. CHANCELOR points out this report breaks down each of these alleged murders into facts of what actually happened in each case. The report reflects that most of the Panthers had been killed by other Panthers, or other black extremists; some had been killed or injured when they were firing upon and had killed or injured police officers; and the police were only returning fire; and only two of the Panthers had been killed as the result of planned police action. FRED HAMPTON was mentioned as being among these two when he was killed as a result of a raid conducted by the Chicago Police Department.

If not already known to the Bureau, it is suggested this report and author be identified through NBC, New York City, and a copy of the report obtained. From the synopsis given by CHANCELOR, it appears this report in the hands of friendly newspaper editors could do much to correct the mistaken idea the Panthers and left-wing extremists have given the public that police throughout the country have murdered Panthers without mercy or regard for life. If, from a review of the report it appears authentic, it is suggested the Bureau obtain copies of it and mail anonymously or deliver openly, as the Bureau feels most appropriate, to friendly newspaper editors across the country.

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Although CHANCELOR's five-minute commentary may have been given nation-wide coverage over NBC, it is believed that newspapers editorializing on this report will do a great service by informing the public of the true facts in a matter which the Panther press and the left-wing extremists press have capitalized upon in their efforts to destroy respect for law enforcement.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

2-24-71

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TO SAC SAN FRANCISCO (157-601) REC 19
FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) — 2282

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS. RM.

REURTEL FEBRUARY TWENTY TWO LAST.

SAN FRANCISCO IS AUTHORIZED TO IMMEDIATELY SEND LETTER
TO ELDRIDGE CLEAVER AS PROPOSED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE,
INSURING MAILING CANNOT BE TRACED TO BUREAU.

RNB:bee/pjc (4)

NOTE:

San Francisco proposed letter to Eldridge Cleaver
in Algeria signed "Big Man," thereby purporting letter to
be from [REDACTED] Letter states writer disgusted
with things at BPP Headquarters and mad because Newton is
lying to Cleaver. States Newton is living in luxury by
choice and not by orders of central committee, as he claims.
Warns Cleaver not to send Kathleen Cleaver to U.S. for visit
as planned. Purpose is to exacerbate existing dissension
between Newton and Cleaver; or if Cleaver disbelieves the
letter, to compromise [REDACTED] Director was advised of above
by informative note and approved the action.

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3:47 PM URGENT 2/22/71 MCC

TO DIRECTOR

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-601) 3P

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COINTELPRO, RM.

Racial Matter

TEXT OF THE FOLLOWING LETTER IS PROPOSED BY THE SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE TO BE SENT TO ELDRIDGE CLEAVER IN ALGERIA, PURPORTEDLY FROM [REDACTED], TO BE MAILED AT OAKLAND, CALIF.:

"ELDRIDGE: [REDACTED] TOLD ME HUEY TALKED TO YOU FRIDAY AND WHAT HE HAD TO SAY. I AM DISGUSTED WITH THINGS HERE AND THE FACT THAT YOU ARE BEING IGNORED. I AM LOYAL TO THE PARTY AND IT MAKES ME MAD TO LEARN THAT HUEY NOW HAS TO LIE TO YOU. I AM REFERRING TO HIS FANCY APARTMENT WHICH HE REFERS TO AS THE THRONE. I THINK YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT HE PICKED THE PLACE OUT HIMSELF, NOT THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, AND THE HIGH RENT IS FROM PARTY FUNDS AND NOT PAID BY ANYONE ELSE. MANY OF THE OTHERS ARE UPSET ABOUT THIS WASTE OF MONEY. IT IS NEEDED FOR OTHER PARTY WORK HERE AND ALSO IN ALGERIA. IT SEEMS THE LEAST HUEY COULD DO IS FURNISH YOU THE MONEY AND LIVE WITH THE REST OF US. SINCE HUEY WILL LIE TO YOU ABOUT THIS, YOU CAN SEE HOW IT IS WITH HIM. YOU WOULD BE

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MR. SULLIVAN FOR THE DIRECTOR

XEROX
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AMAZED AT WHAT IS ACTUALLY HAPPENING.

"I WISH THERE WAS SOME WAY I COULD GET IN TOUCH WITH YOU BUT IN VIEW OF HUEY'S ORDERS IT IS NOT POSSIBLE. YOU SHOULD REALLY KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING AND STATEMENTS MADE ABOUT YOU. I CAN'T RISK A CALL AS IT WOULD MEAN CERTAIN EXPULSION. YOU SHOULD THINK A GREAT DEAL BEFORE SENDING KATHLEEN. IF I COULD TALK TO YOU I COULD TELL YOU WHY I DON'T THINK YOU SHOULD." LETTER TO BE SIGNED "BIG MAN".

ADMINISTRATIVE

RE SF TEL FEBRUARY NINETEEN, LAST, CAPTIONED "BLACK PANTHER PARTY - INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS; COINTELPRO" WHICH SETS FORTH [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THIS LETTER, IF APPROVED, WILL CREATE IMPRESSION [REDACTED] MAY BE THE HEADQUARTERS INFORMANT NEWTON IS SEEKING OVER
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THE [REDACTED] CASE, OR AT LEAST CAUSE PROBLEMS FOR [REDACTED] FOR TALKING TOO MUCH SHOULD CLEAVER DISCLOSE THE CONTENTS OF THE LETTER. IF THAT OCCURS, IT WOULD ALSO COMPROMISE [REDACTED] OR DISCLOSING THIS DATA TO CLEAVER. IF THIS DOES NOT OCCUR, IT WILL AT LEAST FURTHER THE RIFT EXISTING BETWEEN CLEAVER AND NEWTON AND POSSIBLY PREVENT KATHLEEN CLEAVER FROM RETURNING TO THE U.S. THIS IS A LIKELY POSSIBILITY, NOTING THAT CLEAVER HAS NEVER PREVIOUSLY DISCLOSED TO BPP OFFICIALS THE RECEIPT OF PRIOR COINTELPRO LETTERS, HOWEVER, HAS MADE NUMEROUS EFFORTS TO OBTAIN FURTHER DATA CONCERNING THEM WITHOUT SUCCESS BY CONTACTING SOMEONE AT OAKLAND. CONSIDERABLE VALUABLE INFORMATION FOR INTELLIGENCE PURPOSES HAS BEEN OBTAINED IN SUCH CONTACTS BY CLEAVER WHICH HAVE AIDED IMMENSELY IN EVALUATING STRONG POINTS AND WEAKNESSES OF VARIOUS PARTY LEADERS. SINCE KATHLEEN MAY BE PLANNING TO COME TO THE U.S. IN IMMEDIATE FUTURE, THIS LETTER SHOULD BE MAILED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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CC-MR. BRENNAN

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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

2-22-71

Date

We previously authorized dissemination to mass media exposing plush living of Black Panther Party leader Huey P. Newton in a luxurious apartment in Oakland, California. The article received nationwide coverage embarrassing Newton and the Black Panther Party. Newton's explanation was that he was forced to live in the apartment for security reasons but would "like to be back in the streets."

Attached is a proposed counter-intelligence letter by our San Francisco Office in order to further promote the dissension and distrust between Newton and Eldridge Cleaver. The letter will complain of the luxurious apartment being used by Newton and that the money for it is being paid from BPP funds.

If you approve, San Francisco Office will be instructed to prepare and send letter mentioned in attached in a manner which cannot be traced to the Bureau.

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FBI

Date: 2/19/71

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Via AIRTELAIR MAIL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM*BLACK NATIONALIST**White Groups*

Re Philadelphia letter 2/8/71, suggesting forwarding of a letter with enclosure to [REDACTED]

San Francisco is of the opinion the suggestion is excellent.

[REDACTED] was known to have been in San Francisco as late as 2/10/71, but his exact whereabouts is not now known.

Information received 2/18/71, from local source reflects [REDACTED] regarded by National Headquarters as expelled.

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To: SAC, New York (100-161140)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 221

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COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS RE:81
RACIAL MATTERS

ReNYairtel 2/19/71 and Bureau airtel 2/16/71.

Your proposed anonymous letter to Huey P. Newton submitted in referenced airtel is not being authorized.

Since this situation involved [REDACTED] it is necessary that any "questionable" activity by [REDACTED] actually take place. Thereafter, Newton can be made aware of the activity by a counterintelligence medium.

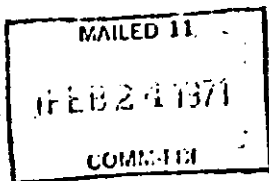
Your prompt reply and obvious interest is appreciated, and you are urged to remain alert for any activity by [REDACTED] that will lend itself to this situation.

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NOTE:

New York proposed anonymous letter to Huey P. Newton stating [REDACTED] is going to use the merchandising of the new BPP watches to make a personal fortune for himself. Since this information is not true, [REDACTED] might protest in such a manner that Bureau would be embarrassed.

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Date: 2/19/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

ReBuairtel to San Francisco, 2/16/71.

Referenced airtel indicated that a cointelpro proposal should be submitted concerning the relationship between HUEY P. NEWTON and [REDACTED]

There follows a proposed letter from an anonymous source to HUEY P. NEWTON:

Mr. Huey P. Newton
Black Panther Party
Oakland, California

Dear Mr. Newton:

If I may take a moment of your time to relate to you a rather bizarre tale I think it might save you some of headaches or other problems in the future.

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Approved: _____
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At this time I prefer my identity to remain anonymous but I can tell you I am an attorney who specializes in patent and copyright matters. I am a Jew who is no supporter of your organization but I do believe in open and fair business dealings with any and all people.

Last month during a social engagement in the vicinity of my home, I was introduced to an individual who identified himself as [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This individual later presented me with his card, which indicated he is a member of a law firm in New York City. He expressed a great interest in my legal speciality in that as he told me "he had several deals going involving patent and copyright matters with the Black Panther Party concerning the manufacture and sale of wrist watches bearing the likeness of Black Panther leaders."

[REDACTED] indicated that he thought the wrist watch idea would bring him a small fortune from sales but that times had changed and that the Panther Party was dead and that its leaders had lost their charisma, particularly HUEY NEWTON whom he described as a "play boy nigger" whose interests were "more romantic than revolutionary".

[REDACTED] sounded me out as to my thoughts on what the legal aspects would be of his manufacturing and selling wrist watches that would bear the likenesses of, as he described, "more pertinent and marketable personalities such as MALCOLM X or STOKELY CARMICHAEL" rather than using the faces of those "Black Gangsters, NEWTON and ANGELA DAVIS."

I gathered from further discussion with [REDACTED] that for an attorney who claims to represent a group in its business dealings his interests seem to be more personal than they should be. It appears that he may be more concerned with self-enrichment than in practicing your rights and the rights of your organization.

In conclusion I must make it clear that I have fought against using names or labels in describing people.

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or in attributing guilt to a person because of his thoughts or associations but I think I must make an exception to my own rules in the case of [REDACTED]. If he is your attorney I suggest you fire him because his loyalties and interests are not in your benefit and I don't think it would be unwise to suggest that maybe he is a Police or Government operative.

A concerned Bystander.

New York feels that if the above letter were mailed from the vicinity of [REDACTED] HUEY P. NEWTON in California, it might have some effect in exacerbating the already strained relations within the BPP or at least cause some wonderment on the part of NEWTON and associates as to the motivations of [REDACTED].

No action on this matter will be taken without prior Bureau approval.

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2/23/71

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To: SAC, San Francisco (157-601)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - *2279*

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COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST REC-81
RM

Rcurairtel 2/17/71.

Your counterintelligence letter proposed in referenced airtel is not being authorized since the Bureau is preparing a mass media item concerning the BPP watches, and the proposed letter might cause the BPP to issue a press release about the watches which would nullify our mass media item.

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San Francisco proposed a letter purported to be from Huey P. Newton to all chapters soliciting orders from BPP members and friends for the new BPP watches at cost whereas no such offer has been made.

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Date: 2/17/71

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Via AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

The Bureau has been advised that the BPP is presently negotiating for the manufacture of some 30,000 wrist watches to be produced in three models showing the photo of HUEY P. NEWTON, or BOBBY SEALE, or ELDRIDGE CLEAVER on the face of the watch and having the wording "Seize The Time" instead of numerals. The BPP is utilizing the project in an attempt to raise cash and obviously plans on selling these watches at a price far above their cost of \$5.50 each.

In an attempt to discourage the sale of these watches at an inflated price and cut the Party's revenue, San Francisco suggests the following letter be expeditiously prepared at the Laboratory on BPP stationery and supposedly signed by HUEY NEWTON. It is requested that some 40 copies of the letter be printed and forwarded to the San Francisco Division in order that they can be mailed to all presently active BPP and NCCF chapters. San Francisco will mail these letters from Oakland, California.

The proposed letter is as follows:

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Special Agent in Charge

SF 157-601

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**"To all Chapters of the Black Panther
Party and the National Committee to
Combat Fascism**

**"I wish to announce I have invented a new
wristwatch that will shortly be placed on the
market.**

**"The watch will have a distinctive arm band
and will be made in three styles. One style will
feature on the face of the watch the photo of
your Supreme Commander, another style will feature
a photo of brother Eldridge Cleaver and a third
copy will feature on the face a photo of Bobby
Seale. These watches will be sold throughout the
country but they will first be made available to
all Black Panther Party members, community workers,
NCCF associates, and our friends at absolute cost.
The Huey P. Newton model will sell for \$5.50, the
Cleaver and Seale models will be offered to you
for \$4.50.**

**"These watches will later be offered to the
general public at a much higher price. Tell your
friends to obtain our new Black Panther Party
watches through you at rock bottom prices. Please
advise National how many of your members and friends
desire to purchase such a watch and furnish us the
particular model desired.**

**"Huey P. Newton
Supreme Commander"**

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

2/19/71

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To: SAC, Albany (157-897)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2278

COINTELPRO -
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 2/9/71.

Counterintelligence proposal submitted in referenced airtel is under consideration at the Bureau.

If approved, you will be advised. Take no steps to implement action recommended by your office without receipt of prior Bureau authorization.

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NOTE: ..

Bureau airtel 2/2/71 instructed all offices having Black Panther Party (BPP) activity to submit counterintelligence suggestions designed to take advantage of current dissension and disruption of the BPP at the leadership level as a result of erratic behavior of BPP leader Huey Newton. All submissions are being closely studied and only those offering best potential will be approved. Albany has suggested anonymous phone calls be made to BPP national headquarters just prior to scheduled speaking appearances by BPP leaders cancelling same due to inability to raise required funds and/or unfavorable public reaction.

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Date: 2/9/71

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Via AirtelAir Mail

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, ALBANY (157-897)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS
 BUDED: 2/10/71

ReBuairtel, 2/2/71.

The following proposal is submitted for future consideration relative to creating national dissension. HUEY NEWTON is scheduled to speak at Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York, 2/14/71. His appearance is ostensibly sponsored by the following groups:

1. University Union
2. Student Government
3. Black Student Union

All of these groups are officially sanctioned campus organizations. The individual who actually made the arrangements for NEWTON's speech with the BPP is [REDACTED] and an SI subject. The above organizations are being used by [REDACTED] in that money to finance NEWTON's appearance is being filtered from the coffers of these organizations.

It is suggested that in future situations similar to the above, a call could be made to BPP Headquarters by an

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individual representing himself to be [REDACTED] or the individual who made the arrangements for a BPP speaker to appear, canceling the speaking engagement. The reasons in the above example would be:

1. Unable to raise the required amount of money
2. Because of the unfavorable reaction of student officials

It is believed this would cause dissension on a national level because of the apparent ineptness of the national BPP officer scheduling the speaker and not knowing more about the character and dependability of the local officer who requested the speaker; this could also cause dissension on a local level for obvious reasons.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

2/23/71

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To: SAC, Charlotte (157-6109)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2277

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BLACK PANTHER PARTY - DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

ReCEairtel 2/9/71.

The Bureau feels that your counterintelligence proposal as set forth in referenced airtel has merit. However, the item to be mailed must be submitted to the Bureau for approval.

You should prepare the item and send the Bureau a Xerox copy indicating who will be the addressee. Your proposal will then be considered and you will be advised if it is approved.

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Charlotte proposes to mail (presumably to Black Panther Party (BPP) National Headquarters) a clipping from a Winston-Salem, North Carolina, newspaper with a photograph of [REDACTED] and a local police officer. A note on the clipping will indicate [REDACTED] is an informant and will indicate the clipping was sent by a local female Panther with whom [REDACTED] is at odds. Purpose is to cause distrust of [REDACTED] and expulsion of the female Panther.

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AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, CHARLOTTE (157-6109) (P)

COINTELPRO

BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION

RM BUDED 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel to Albany and other offices, 2/2/71.

The following counterintelligence proposal is submitted pursuant to Bureau instructions in referenced airtel and aims to create dissension between the leadership of the BPP at Winston-Salem, N. C. and BPP National Headquarters.

As the Bureau has previously been advised, a house at 1127 E. 23rd St., Winston-Salem, was raided by Winston-Salem, N. C. PD on 1/12/71, and two individuals arrested in connection with the theft of meat. The Journal, a daily Winston-Salem, N. C. newspaper, in its issue of 1/13/71, contained an article captioned, "Confiscated Items Labeled as Stolen."

It is noted that [REDACTED] took no part in the panther activities at the scene of the raid or in any way assisted the two BPP members who were in the house.

EX-114

(2) - Bureau (RM)

1 - San Francisco (RM)

4 - Charlotte (2-157-6109)

(1-157-6171) (BPP) PER-84

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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CE 157-6109

The Bureau is requested to approve of the sending of a copy of this article, roughly torn from the newspaper, with handwriting on the paper, "I think this is 2 pigs oinking," beside the photograph. The signatures of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and believed to be at odds, will be thereafter signed near the photograph.

[REDACTED] is the most effective organizer and speaker at Winston-Salem and creation of distrust might possibly result in his expulsion. In the event the article is brought to [REDACTED] attention, it should further widen the gap between he and [REDACTED] who has been functioning as the local Communications Secretary and create dissension within the local group.

Charlotte will obtain a complete copy of this issue of the newspaper but will take no further action until Bureau approval is received.

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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
-- Special Agent in Charge

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, WFO (157-1292)

2/23/71

Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2276- [REDACTED]

EX-114 REC-81

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
DISSENSION
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ReWFOairtel 2/10/71.

Authority to implement proposal described in referenced airtel is not granted. It is not believed the leaders and members of the Black Panther Party (BPP), Washington, D.C., chapter would voluntarily abandon this chapter without confirming the action by National BPP leaders.

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NOTE:

WFO did not submit the proposed letter, merely requested authority to prepare one. The proposed letter from [REDACTED] who is presently in California, would be forwarded to the acting leader of the WDC chapter. Letter would confidentially advise that BPP leadership has decided to abandon the WDC chapter and all its members. The National Headquarters would terminate all assistance indicating the black community of Washington has shown a complete lack of interest in BPP. This type of counterintelligence letter would not be effective since upon receipt of letter one telephone call could prove entire action invalid.

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Date: 2/10/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, WFO (157-1292) (P)

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY -
 DISSENSION
 RACIAL MATTERS
 (BUDED: 2/10/71)

ReBuairtel, 2/2/71.

The following proposal is aimed at fostering
 dissension between the BPP National Headquarters and the
 Washington, D.C. Chapter:

The complete and total failure of the much heralded
 Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention (RPCC) in
 November, 1970, resulted in serious criticism of the local
 Chapter, including the expulsion of its primary leaders. In
 all, more than a dozen members of the WDC Chapter either
 resigned or were expelled.

_____ presently attending
 the BPP Ideological Institute in Oakland, California, and it
 is unknown if and when he plans returning to WDC. In his
 absence, the acting _____

_____ whose leadership
 capabilities are in serious question.

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- Bureau
- San Francisco (RM)(AM)
- WFO
- (1-157-2825)
- (1-100-45995)

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Approved: (7) *[Signature]*

Special Agent in Charge

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In addition, telephone service to both the Ministry of Information and the Community Information Center has been disconnected because of an unpaid bill of over \$1700. The Community Information Center also is without electric power and both locations are utilizing their kitchen stoves for heat. Eviction of the BPP from their Community Center is threatened by delinquent mortgage payments in excess of \$1000.

To further add to the above described critical situation in which the WDC Chapter finds itself, WFO proposes to send a letter to [REDACTED] signed by [REDACTED] in which [REDACTED] will confidentially alert [REDACTED] the BPP leadership has decided to abandon the WDC Chapter and all its members. Except for furnishing weekly copies of the BPP newspaper, National Headquarters intends to terminate all assistance and responsibility for the local Chapter's operations. In this letter, [REDACTED] will urge [REDACTED] to disband the WDC Chapter as further help from the national committee will not be forthcoming, making retention of the local chapter purposeless.

The letter will also contain a warning from [REDACTED] urging [REDACTED] not to disclose the existence of the letter nor to telephone [REDACTED] concerning the letter, as no one, with the exception of [REDACTED] and HUEY P. NEWTON, is supposed to know of the high level decision to abandon the WDC Chapter. [REDACTED] will give as the reason for this abandonment the complete lack of interest in the BPP shown by the black community of Washington.

[REDACTED] WFO has in its possession sufficient samples of [REDACTED] handwriting to enable the laboratory to make an adequate facsimile.

It is believed this letter could have positive results since National Headquarters has purged all of the past leaders of the local chapter and failed to give any financial support in its time of need.

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REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

The Bureau is requested to authorize WFO
to implement the above described proposal.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

2/23/71

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To: SAC, Savannah (157-629)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2275

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
(BPP) - DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 2/9/71.

Your proposal submitted by referenced airtel is being considered by the Bureau, and you will be advised if it is to be used.

If your proposal is approved, you will prepare the letter. However, the signature of [REDACTED] should not be forged. The letter should be signed with the typewritten name of the purported writer.

Do not send the proposed letter unless specific authorization is received from the Bureau.

Enclosure

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NOTE:

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Savannah proposed letter to Bronx, New York, Black Panther Party (BPP) chapter complaining about lack of assistance by BPP national headquarters for Augusta, Georgia, member in jail. The letter demands immediate assistance or they will "take the matter in our own hands." This letter is directed

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[REDACTED]
Airtel to Savannah

Re: Cointelpro-Black Panther Party (BPP)-Dissension
100-448006

NOTE CONTINUED:

to New York since Augusta, Georgia, group was organized through New York. Letter will undoubtedly be forwarded to national headquarters and purpose is to cause headquarters to expel the Augusta, Georgia, group. Proposals being received from all divisions with BPP organizations, and best of the letters will be picked when all received.

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Date: 2/9/71

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AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAVANNAH (157-629) (P)

SUBJ: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS
BUDED: 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 2/2/71.

The following suggestion is made to create dissension between the Augusta, Ga. National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF), and the national headquarters. The suggested letter is being directed to the Bronx, NY branch of the BPP since the Augusta chapter has had more directions and contact with the New York Panthers than with others on the west coast.

In 9/70, [REDACTED] was arrested and has been in custody since. Following confinement, the New York office directed 7 or 8 members of the NCCF in Winston-Salem, N.C., to Augusta to help organize and promote attendance at the Black Panther convention in Washington, D.C. in 11/70.

Early in November, 1970, two members of the Winston-Salem group and one from the Augusta group committed an armed robbery of a grocery store, in Aiken County, S.C., taking rifles, shotguns and handguns. During the chase by police following the incident, WILL VERNON RUTHERFORD of the Winston-Salem group and the driver of the get-away car, was killed when the vehicle turned over.

② - Bureau (Enc. 2) (RM)
3 - Savannah
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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

SV 157-629

The weapons were recovered, and the two accomplices escaped. The above two incidents caused dissension among the Augusta group and the Winston-Salem Panthers departed. Many of the Augusta members complained about the Winston-Salem group trying to take over and because [redacted] was being neglected and ignored. There has been little or no activity on the part of the Augusta group during December, 1970 and January, 1971, however, informants report now that [redacted]

[redacted] and [redacted] aka, are trying to reorganize the Augusta group. It appears that their efforts are not coordinated. [redacted] has been described as a strict disciplinarian and strong supporter of the national office. [redacted] He was expelled for failing to accept criticism and discipline.

It is suggested that the attached letter be signed with the signature of [redacted] and it will be mailed in a plain envelope to the Minister of Information, 1370 Boston Rd., Bronx, N.Y. The FBI Laboratory may copy the signature of [redacted] as it appears on [redacted]

It is suggested that the Laboratory use an old model typewriter and prepare the letter with a poor quality typing and some misspelled words. The wording of the letter is as attached.

[redacted]

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

2/24/71

Airtel

To: SAC, Springfield (157-1053)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2274

COINTELPRO

EX-114
REC-81
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 2/9/71.

Enclosed for Springfield Office are the three checks and the single handwriting specimen of [REDACTED] furnished in referenced Springfield airtel.

Although your counterintelligence proposal is original, it is not being approved. It is felt any temporary gain realized through adoption of your recommendation would fall flat when BPP personnel examined monthly statements and other similar records, including bank records. This could also reveal the sophisticated techniques utilized and possibly cause them to realize BPP is target for similar activities.

Enclosures - 4

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NOTE: Springfield Office proposed furnishing to the Document Section a blank Carbondale BPP check which had been acquired by local authorities during a raid in November, 1970. The Document Section would forge signatures of BPP finance officer payable to [REDACTED] to make it appear he had been paid \$150 by the BPP finance office. Anonymous mailing of this check to BPP Chicago would indicate this was an unauthorized personal payment. However, this check's lack of authenticity could readily be ascertained and blow any temporary advantage we may have secured through adoption of this proposal.

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Date: 2-9-71

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, -SPRINGFIELD (157-1053) -P-

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Buded: 2-10-71

ReBuairtel dated 2-2-71.

This counterintelligence proposal is aimed at creating dissension in the local Carbondale BPP Chapter, Carbondale, Ill.

It is recommended that the following COINTELPRO be given Bureau approval:

During the search of a house following a shooting incident between Carbondale BPP and Carbondale Police Dept., on 11-12-70 a blank check belonging to the Carbondale BPP Information Center was obtained. This check has imprinted upper left corner:

"Carbondale Information
 Center Distribution
 221 1/2 No. Washington
 Carbondale, Illinois 62901"

- 2P
- ③ - Bureau (100-448006) (Enc. 1)
- 2 - San Francisco (RM)
- 1 - Chicago (Info) (RM)
- 5 - Springfield (2: 157-1053; BPP) (1: 157-872; COINTELPRO)
- 157-2139; BPP-Carbondale

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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This check is being forwarded to the Bureau along with a similar check which is signed by the appropriate officials of the BPP. Springfield purposed that the blank check be filled out payable to [REDACTED] an influential person in the Carbondale BPP, in the amount of \$150 and signed [REDACTED] would be placed on the back of a check which has already cleared through a bank and would have the appropriate markings. The front of the check payable to [REDACTED] and the back of the check bearing [REDACTED] signature would then be Xeroxed and copies sent to Chicago BPP and BPP National Headquarters with a note asking why [REDACTED] is paying [REDACTED] of the Information Center Funds.

It is felt that this action will serve to discredit [REDACTED] with other members of the Carbondale BPP and also to cast a doubt on [REDACTED] handling of BPP funds.

The cost of preparing this document would be minimal. The document could be mailed anonymously from Carbondale, Ill., with no embarrassment to the Bureau.

If the Bureau approves this use of the check, it is requested that the enclosed documents be forwarded to the Document Section for necessary preparations. After preparations, documents should be returned to Carbondale so that appropriate postmarks will appear.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

2/19/70

airtel

1 - Portland Field Guidance
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC Portland (157-347)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2273

EX-114 REC-21

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 2/10/71.

Proposal outlined in referenced airtel aimed at creating dissension between the Portland Black Panther Party (BPP) chapter and national BPP organization is not approved. While there is definite merit to the idea of discrediting [REDACTED] Bureau feels following investigative steps should be taken which may assist you in this matter and ultimate Cointelpro recommendations.

Referenced airtel indicates those specifically mentioned as being four individuals who presently hold a grudge against [REDACTED] for their continued incarceration at Rocky Butte Jail are [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] expressed a desire to kill [REDACTED] if released due to [REDACTED] failure to post bail. Bureau feels current interview of these four concerning their involvement in BPP activities in view of their current animosity may be of value and should be resolved first. Bureau notes that report of [REDACTED] dated 12/15/70 captioned [REDACTED] "sets out a lead to interview him to determine his current activities and associates.

Unless there are circumstances known to you to preclude same, interview these four men concerning BPP activities. Inquiry regarding reason for recent expulsions from BPP may serve as an approach, that is, of various BPP leaders

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Airtel to Portland

Re: Cointelpro - Black Panther Party (BPP)
100-448006

With respect to interview of these individuals, check with appropriate local authorities prior to interview to insure that such interviews will in no way compromise or interfere with any pending prosecution or legal action against them.

Bureau files are negative regarding [REDACTED] based on available information. Determine his association with the BPP, if any, and submit your recommendations for any additional investigative action. Submit interview results in form suitable for dissemination along with your recommendations concerning implementation of Cointelpro action against [REDACTED]

NOTE:

Portland suggested sending letter to underground newspaper and BPP national headquarters purportedly emanating from Rocky Butte Jail criticizing [REDACTED] for failure to get his brothers and sisters out of jail and accusing him of living high on bail fund money. For reasons outlined above, interviews of the four appear more timely and may produce even more positive results against the Panthers both from intelligence and prosecutive standpoints. [REDACTED] subjects based on previous activity in the BPP.

FBI

Date: 2/10/71

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Via AIRTEL

AIRMAIL - REGISTERED

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (157-347) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS
BUDED 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel to Portland dated 2/2/71.


The following proposal is being submitted for consideration as a counterintelligence program aimed at creating dissension between the Portland Black Panther Party (BPP) Chapter and National BPP organization.

BACKGROUND



PROPOSED COUNTERINTELLIGENCE

It is proposed that a handwritten letter be sent to the local Oregon underground newspaper, the "Willamette Bridge" and to the national headquarters of the BPP which states as follows:

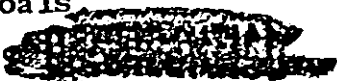


nothing to help his brothers and sisters get out of this rat hole called Rocky Butte Jail. While his brothers and sisters are being brutalized by the pigs, [redacted] walks the streets of Portland free and lives high on the people's bail fund money. [redacted] vamps on his brothers. Jail [redacted] Free all political prisoners. Right on. The Rocky Butte Four."

It is recommended that this letter be written on official stationery of the Rocky Butte Jail and an envelope from the Rocky Butte Jail be utilized for sending the letter out.

EXPECTED RESULTS

It is not expected that either the "Willamette Bridge" nor the national BPP will publish this letter, however, it is hoped that the white radicals who print the "Willamette Bridge" will read this letter and it will lower [redacted] image in the eyes of these individuals. In the case of the national organization, it is felt that this letter will further widen the apparent rift that is taking place between Portland's BPP and the national organization. It was also pointed out to the national group that [redacted] has not lived up to his commitments to associates of Portland's BPP organization, and that [redacted] is profiting off of funds obtained in connection with furtherance of party goals.



ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

2/19/71

airtel

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To: SAC, Albany (157-897)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) -2272

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS REC-81
RACIAL MATTERS EX-114

Reurairtel 2/9/71 captioned "COINTELPRO - Black Panther Party (BPP) - Dissension, Racial Matters," (single copies enclosed for New York and San Francisco).

Albany should promptly submit its proposed anonymous letter to the Bureau.

Following receipt of same, consideration will be given to your recommendation as set forth in referenced airtel.

- 1 - New York (Enclosure)
- 1 - San Francisco (Enclosure)

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NOTE:

Bureau airtel 2/2/71 solicited suggested counter-intelligence proposals from all field divisions having BPP activity, aimed at inducing national and local dissension. Albany recommended mailing of an anonymous letter to the BPP, New York City, alleging mishandling of funds but has not furnished text of the proposed letter.

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Date: 2/9/71

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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, ALBANY (157-897)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS
Buded: 2/10/71

ReBuairtel, 2/2/71.

The following proposal is aimed at local dissension. The NCCF, Ithaca, New York, recently held a benefit dance to raise money to send representatives to the RPCC, Washington, D. C. This dance was almost a complete financial failure in that only about \$300 was raised and, as a result, no representative was sent to the RPCC.

It is suggested that an anonymous letter be sent to the BPP New York City, to the effect that \$1,500 was the actual amount raised, but was squandered by several of the local NCCF members. The letter should express concern of a member of the local chapter in Ithaca, who feels that this matter should be brought to the attention of BPP Headquarters and that appropriate disciplinary action should be taken against those responsible.

2-Bureau (RM)

4-Albany

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Approved: _____

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Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/22/71

FROM : SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-15780) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS
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ReBuairtel to Albany dated 4/24/69, under captioned program and Pittsburgh airtel and LHM dated 2/10/71, captioned, "Discovery of Machine Gun and Dynamite Cache at 2441 Wylie Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., 2/8/71."

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are three photographs of the machine gun and dynamite located by the Pittsburgh Police at 2441 Wylie Avenue, Pittsburgh, as set out in referenced LHM. These photographs are being submitted for the use of the Bureau under captioned program and need not be returned to Pittsburgh.

- ② - Bureau (Enc.-3) (RM)
- 2 - Pittsburgh
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TO SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

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COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RACIAL MATTERS

REURTEL FEBRUARY SEVENTEEN LAST.

SAN FRANCISCO IS AUTHORIZED TO SEND LETTER AS PROPOSED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE, INSURING THAT MAILING CANNOT BE TRACED TO THE BUREAU.

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NOTE:

San Francisco proposed a letter to [REDACTED] BPP [REDACTED] in exile in Algeria, purported to be from [REDACTED]. The letter mentions death of [REDACTED] San Francisco BPP member, implies [REDACTED] was killed because he was part of dissident group, and states [REDACTED] is dangerous for Kathleen Cleaver to visit U.S. Purpose is to increase dissension between BPP National Headquarters and Cleaver and [REDACTED] and to prevent Kathleen Cleaver from returning to U.S. Director was advised of above by [REDACTED] informative note and approved.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-448006)

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-601) 3P

Racial Matter

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS, RM.
Counterintelligence Program

Black Nationalist - Hate Groups

TO FURTHER EXPLOIT DISSENSATION WITHIN THE BPP AND SUSPICIONS
REGARDING VARIOUS LEADERS, THE FOLLOWING LETTER TO [REDACTED]
ALGERIA IS PROPOSED BY THE SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE:

"D.C."

"BY NOW YOU HAVE HEARD ABOUT POOR FRED. I HAVE WARNED HUEY
OF THE POSSIBLE CONSEQUENCES. IT SEEMS TO BE GETTING WORSE.
J.B. AND ROBERT ARE NOW ALSO MISSING.

"IN VIEW OF THIS YOU BETTER HAVE A LONG TALK WITH ELDRIDGE
BEFORE HE LETS KATHLEEN COME HERE. G. IS REALLY UP TIGHT. BIG
MAN IS JUST JIVING AND NO HELP AT ALL.

"A. C."

THIS LETTER IS ALSO SLANTED TO IMPLY THAT IT CAME FROM [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] WHOSE EXACT WHEREABOUTS ARE NOT KNOWN TO THE BPP AND IS IN
THE FORM OF A WARNING TO [REDACTED] IN VIEW OF THE SITUATION
END PAGE ONE

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MR. SULLIVAN FOR THE DIRECTOR

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Brennan	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Walters	✓
Mr. Soyars	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

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INVOLVING THE DEATH OF [REDACTED] THE J.B. REFERRED TO IN THE
LETTER IS [REDACTED] AND ROBERT IS [REDACTED] WHO TOGETHER WITH
[REDACTED] HAVE PREVIOUSLY WORKED WITH [REDACTED] AND ARE BELIEVED
SYMPATHETIC TO THE DISSIDENT BPP GROUP REPRESENTED BY
[REDACTED] THE WHEREABOUTS OF [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] UNKNOWN AT THE
PRESENT TIME TO THE BPP. INASMUCH AS THE FIRST A.C. LETTER COULD
POSSIBLY HAVE BEEN TAKEN BY NEWTON AS A WARNING FROM THE DISSIDENTS,
THIS LETTER WILL FURTHER THIS BELIEF IF THERE IS ANY DISCUSSION
BY NEWTON WITH BPP REPRESENTATIVES IN ALGERIA.

THE LETTER ALSO CASTS REFLECTIONS OF [REDACTED] A
CLEAVER STALWART. *Algeria Calif*

IF SUCCESSFUL, THIS MIGHT FURTHER SPLIT THE BPP AND PREVENT
THE POSSIBILITY OF THE RETURN TO THE U.S. OF KATHLEEN CLEAVER
WHO MIGHT ATTEMPT TO UNIFY THE DISSIDENT FACTIONS IN THE PARTY
IF SHE APPEARS.

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IF APPROVED THIS LETTER WILL BE MAILED TO [REDACTED] IN ALGERIA
FROM SANTA CRUZ, CALIFORNIA, TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE LAST
PRIOR LETTER FROM A.C.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RESFTEL FEBRUARY NINE LAST AND BUTEL FEBRUARY TEN LAST.

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CC-MR. BRENNAN

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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 2-17-71

Attached is a proposed counterintelligence letter by our San Francisco Office in order to further promote dissension and distrust in the Black Panther Party (BPP). [REDACTED] mentioned in attached is [REDACTED] reportedly recently killed by BPP associates. As a result of our counterintelligence program a considerable amount of dissension and distrust has been created within the BPP which has resulted in confusion among its members and suspension and expulsion of others. If you approve, the San Francisco Office will be instructed to prepare and send letter mentioned in attached in a manner which cannot be traced to the Bureau.

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Date: 2/12/71

Transmit the following in _____

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)

(Priority)

Mr. Tolson	_____
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Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan	CD ✓
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Dalbey	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Evans	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
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Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERSNationalist - Hate Groups

Re Sacramento airtels 2/8/71.

It is not believed that Sacramento's suggestion concerning the placing of telephone call to BPP Headquarters, Oakland, using the name of [REDACTED] would be effective. Distribution of "The Black Panther" is handled by the Distribution Office located next to the San Francisco BPP Headquarters. For some months Black Panthers have been enforcing "no pay, no papers" and chapters have to have the money at San Francisco before the papers are mailed out. Some exceptions are made when a new group starts selling the papers, but this has to be okayed by National Headquarters. Information available to San Francisco gives no indication that copies of "The Black Panther" are being sent to Sacramento. It is known that [REDACTED] come to San Francisco personally on two occasions to pick up the papers.

The Sacramento suggestion concerning the anonymous letter to the sponsors of the Oak Park Breakfast Program would in no way affect investigative activities in this division but it is not apparent to this office if this suggestion is approved it would cause any disruption in the BPP.

- ② - Bureau (RM)
2 - Sacramento (100-894) (RM)
1 - San Francisco
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Date: 1/28/71

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Via AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, CHARLOTTE (157-6109) (P).

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST

RM - BPP

HATE GROUPS

Re Bureau airtel to San Francisco, 1/22/71.

In addition, information from [redacted] indicated that [redacted] has mentioned putting [redacted]

- ② - Bureau (RM) EX 101
- 2 - San Francisco (157-601) (RM)
- 2 - Charlotte

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two members underground. This information appeared to be pertaining to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] who were arrested by the Winston-Salem, N.C., PD on armed robbery charges the day [REDACTED] made the comment. It appears the pair were arrested before they could be hidden.

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Date: 2/10/71

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(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448005)
 FROM : SAC, BOSTON (157-531)
 SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY
RACIAL MATTERS
 BUDED 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel to Albany et al, 2/2/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau is a BPP cartoon reflecting graphically and in words the dissension and morale problem among the Panther hierarchy as outlined in referenced Bureau airtel.

It is suggested the Bureau duplicate this cartoon in sufficient quantity so that at least two copies can be anonymously mailed to each BPP, NCCF, and Committee to Defend The Panthers (CDP) chapter throughout the country. It is also suggested all mailing emanate from San Francisco to further indicate the origin of the cartoon as possibly a member of the BPP National Headquarters. (San Francisco should already have in its possession all needed addresses). One copy may be furnished to concerned FBI Field Offices for their information.

2 - Bureau (Enc) (RM)
 1 - Boston
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Via AIRTELAIR MAIL

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

Re Los Angeles airtel 2/8/71 suggesting mailing of handbill to NEWTON and all BPP offices.

San Francisco is of the opinion this is an excellent suggestion.

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- Bureau (RM)
- Los Angeles (157-4054) (RM)
- San Francisco

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Date: 2/9/71

Transmit the following in AIRTEL
(Type in plaintext or code)Via _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, BOSTON (157-531)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS.
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Buairtel to Boston dated 11/10/70 captioned as above.

Referenced airtel desired verification of information that BPP member [REDACTED] was receiving welfare and requested the submission of a counterintelligence recommendation.

Initial contact was made with the [REDACTED] on 11/13/70. Personnel, including the General Counsel, subsequently advised they would not be able to confirm the receipt of welfare payments by a particular individual, for to do so would be in violation of State law. After several weeks of consideration, the General Counsel reversed his original decision and agreed to have the [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] furnish on a confidential basis, the information requested. Consequently on 2/2/71, it was determined that [REDACTED] has been receiving [REDACTED]

It is the opinion of this office that any counterintelligence effort in this area would necessarily involve a breach of confidence with the Welfare Department by the dissemination of information received from them to outside individuals. Furthermore, [REDACTED] recent expulsion from the BPP would negate any counterintelligence activity.

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1 - New Haven (Info) (RM)
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1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, New Orleans (105-3138)

REC-65 From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — *2264*

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RACIAL MATTERS

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Reurairtel 2/11/71.

You counterintelligence proposals set forth in referenced airtel aimed at increasing national dissension within the Black Panther Party (BPP) have been received and are being considered by the Bureau. If approved, you will be so advised. Take no action unless specifically authorized to do so by Bureau.

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NOTE:

New Orleans has proposed two counterintelligence measures aimed at causing dissension among BPP members and the national leaders. The first is an effort to discredit [REDACTED] by giving false impression he is an informant and second a device to embarrass BPP leader Huey Newton through use of a fictitious bank account, indicating misappropriation of BPP funds. By Bureau airtel dated 2/2/71 all offices having BPP chapters were requested to submit counterintelligence proposals. All such proposals are being considered and those deemed most appropriate will be adopted and the field so advised.

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Date: 2/11/71

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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (105-3138)

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION
RM

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 2/2/71.

This is a proposal aimed at creating national dissension.

Dissension in the BPP in the past has apparently resulted from suspicion that members were informants. There has also been evidence of dissension as a result of the sexual promiscuity of the female membership with boyfriends, husbands, etc.

In the present interviews with purged member [REDACTED] he has advised that members are continually suspicious of each other and quite security conscious. He stated that [REDACTED] has been suspected as being an informant from time to time because he has missed most of the shoot outs. [REDACTED] states that most suspicion is directed at those individuals who ask too many questions and appear to be doing more than what their specific assignment is. [REDACTED] also stated that theft and embezzlement of Panther funds is not condoned except when done with the knowledge of the leadership and by the leadership.

It is therefore suggested that [REDACTED] be targeted in an effort to give the false impression that he is a FBI informant by placing stories with selected existing informants.

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Special Agent in Charge

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As a second counterintelligence proposal, it is suggested that a fictitious bank account record be created in the name of HUEY P. NEWTON through an appropriate bank which will cooperate with the Bureau confidentially. A photostat of a false ledger card could be prepared and mailed to national headquarters anonymously along with an appropriate letter condemning NEWTON. The account should show regular sizable deposits over a period of several years and have a sizable balance existing.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/12/71

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (157-721) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Seattle letter to Bureau, 1/15/71; Seattle letter to Bureau, 2/10/71.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

None.

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

None.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

Results of operation as mentioned in Seattle letter dated January 15, 1971, included in Seattle letter of February 10, 1971.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

During January, 1971, [REDACTED] attempted to fly by United Airlines from Seattle, Washington, to San Francisco, California. Investigation determined that [REDACTED] using his brother's Selective Service card and youth travel card fraudulently attempted to obtain air passage at reduced rates. Information disseminated immediately to [REDACTED] personnel who, after [REDACTED] boarded the aircraft in the early morning hours, was ejected from the aircraft and was almost arrested by local authorities for interfering with the crew of a scheduled airline. This incident occurred during the early morning hours and [REDACTED] was unable to obtain other transportation which necessitated some degree of confusion within the Seattle Chapter of the BPP.

Next monthly letter will be submitted by March 15, 1971.

2 - Bureau (REG)
2 - Seattle

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To: SAC, Atlanta (157-4690)

REC-51 From: Director, FBI (100-448006) 2262

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM -
BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReATairtel 2/5/71.

Your counterintelligence proposal and enclosed recommended letter are approved as submitted.

You should take every precaution in preparing and mailing this letter to assure that it cannot in any way be traced to or connected with the Bureau.

This matter should be closely followed by Atlanta and New York and the Bureau promptly advised of any information developed indicating that this counterintelligence proposal has been effective.

1 - Cincinnati
1 - New York (157-6024)

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NOTE:

The Atlanta Division submitted proposed letter to be mailed to [redacted] Student National Coordinating Committee (SNCC), New York City, advising of romantic attachments between [redacted] and [redacted] whose [redacted]

[redacted] is presently serving a prison sentence in the Federal Correctional Institution, Texarkana, Texas, for [redacted] involving damaging Government property. Informants have reported that [redacted] has been visiting [redacted] Atlanta, Georgia, and it is believed that this anonymous letter will be very effective in disrupting the activities of SNCC in the Atlanta area.

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Date: 2/5/71

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (157-4690) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS*Counter Intelligence Program
Black Nationalist - Hate Groups*

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a proposed letter relating to [REDACTED] concerning the romantic attachment between he and [REDACTED]. One copy of the enclosure is being submitted to Cincinnati, and New York due to their continuing interest in this matter.

It is recommended that this letter, if this proposal is accepted by the Bureau, be prepared in a manner wherein the mailing cannot be traced to the Bureau and mailed from Atlanta, Georgia to the SNCC offices in New York City to [REDACTED] with the copy of same being sent to [REDACTED] at the Texarkana, Texas Federal Correctional Institution.

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1 - Cincinnati (Enc. 1) (RM) (Info.)
1 - New York (Enc. 1) (157-6024) (RM) (Info.)
2 - Atlanta
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- New York
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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

Dear [REDACTED]

It has recently come to the attention of some of us here in Atlanta, that sister [REDACTED] seems to be receiving considerable attention and visits from [REDACTED] has been known to visit [REDACTED] and spend a number of days and nights at her home.

It has long been known that [REDACTED] has had a certain feeling for [REDACTED] Now that [REDACTED] is being held a political prisoner by the system he had valiantly been struggling against in the movement, it is felt that this deception and adulterous conduct on behalf of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] is of the utmost and degrading type of situation that could be perpetrated against one of our martyred brothers.

We feel that you, [REDACTED] should conduct the appropriate discussion of this matter with [REDACTED] the earliest possible time.

Yours in the Struggle,

RIGHT ON!

P.S.

We have given this the utmost consideration, and feel that a copy of this letter should be directed to [REDACTED] which has been done.

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Date: 2/10/71

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (105-3138) (P*)

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION
RM

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 2/2/71.

Counterintelligence proposal aimed at creating
dissension in local chapter.

The New Orleans NCCF Chapter is not effectively functioning inasmuch as the leaders are in parish prison awaiting trial. New Orleans is making no specific suggestions aimed at creating dissension locally pending complete thorough interview of [REDACTED] concerning the personalities and weaknesses of New Orleans Chapter as noted during his tenure as organizer and leader. In the present disrupted state, there are no specific persons toward whom duties to create dissension can be directed.

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To: SAC, New York (100-161140)

REC-51 From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2260

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReNYairtel 2/11/71 captioned "Cointelpro, BPP-
Disruption."

The Bureau appreciates the counterintelligence proposal submitted by your office in referenced airtel; however, it is not being approved at this time inasmuch as your recommended action appears to be at variance with our current overall counterintelligence objectives aimed at the BPP organization.

1 - San Francisco

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NOTE:

New York Office proposed mailing of a letter signed with a nickname of a female of New York Black Panther Party (BPP)

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The letter would make reference to [redacted] disappearance with his legal wife, [redacted] who recently was BPP leader, Huey P. Newton's, [redacted] and inquire as to what action Newton plans to take to assist the writer. [redacted] and his wife are among those purged from the BPP by Newton and while this proposal has some merit, it is not being approved in favor of other proposals submitted. Inasmuch as the chief target of this proposal is [redacted] it would serve no useful purpose at this time.

Mr. Tolson
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Date: 2/11/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTEL PRO
BPP-DISRUPTION

ReNYairtel to Bureau, 2/4/71, captioned "BLACK PANTHER PARTY-RM".

Referenced communication with LHM reflects [REDACTED] of the NY Panther 21. [REDACTED] has made threats against [REDACTED] has been infuriated over the fact that [REDACTED] with whom she has a child out of wedlock is now apparently legally married to [REDACTED]

Recent developments within the BPP reveal that HUEY NEWTON expelled both [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] from the party, labeling them "jackanapes". It is believed they have fled the country together.

The following proposal is being recommended by the NYO in order to further cause disruption within the now factionalized party:

- ② - Bureau
1 - San Francisco (157-1204)
1 - New York

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It is recommended that a post card be sent to HUEY NEWTON in case of Attorney [REDACTED] NYC. The message on this card would read as follows:

"Huey: Your recent actions against CET have caused him to leave with that woman of yours. What now can you do for me and the kid.

Signed - Myra"

This message will be typed and not in longhand.

It is the opinion of the NYO that NEWTON will take this message as another rebuff by the NY Panther 21 and could cause him to again strike out at the Panther 21, further causing the rift between him and those sympathetic with NY 21 to be widened, both black and white.

The above recommendation is being submitted for the approval of the Bureau. If approved, the postcard could be sent the week of February 15 next when NEWTON will be in NYC for various personal appearances. No action will be taken in this matter without prior Bureau approval.

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SAC, Newark (100-49654)

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COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
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RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 2/10/71.

The proposal set forth in reairtel is under consideration and you will be appropriately advised if approved. Take no action in this matter until authorized to do so by the Bureau.

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NOTE:

Newark and other offices have submitted counterintelligence proposals designed to promote national dissension within the Black Panther Party. The various proposals submitted are being coordinated in order to achieve maximum results.

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Via _____

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
 FROM: SAC, NEWARK (100-49654)
 SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) DISSENSION
 RACIAL MATTERS
 BUDED: 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel to SAC, Albany, 2/2/71.

The proposal contained herein is aimed at national dissension.

It is recommended that a letter along the following lines be sent to the BPP National Headquarters from the BPP and NCCF, 93 Summit Ave., Jersey City.

"We Lumpen residing at 93 Summit Ave., Jersey City can not figger why Huey our leader can live in luxuary an travel in the style of a capitalist while we live without heat or food; We ask you why this can happen?"

"He got \$3500.00 for speaking at Princeton so he should leave some money with us in New Jersey to survive."

2-Bureau (RM)
 2-San Francisco (RM)
 4-Newark

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/19/71

FROM : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-5492)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReBuairtel to Atlanta, 1/13/71.

The following distribution of "The Hilltop", the Howard University Student Newspaper, has been made in the Birmingham Division by anonymous mailings:

[REDACTED]

All of the above individuals are members of the Community Action Committee (CAC) in Birmingham, and are considered to be prominent leaders in the Negro community.

- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 2 - San Francisco (RM)
- 2 - Washington Field (RM)
- 2 - Birmingham

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The following newspapers received copies of the above-mentioned article:

The Birmingham Times
The Birmingham World
The Birmingham News & Post Herald

Also receiving copies were:


Alabama Black Liberation Front

Freedom House

Cornerstone

The Freedom House and Cornerstone are frequented by hippie-type people.

The Bureau and interested offices will be advised of positive results.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

AC, Philadelphia (157-2371)

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Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2257

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

1 [REDACTED]
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Reurlet 2/8/71.

The proposal set forth in relet is under consideration and you will be appropriately advised if approved. Take no action in this matter until authorized to do so by the Bureau.

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NOTE:

Philadelphia and other offices have submitted counterintelligence proposals designed to promote national dissension within the Black Panther Party. The various proposals submitted are being coordinated in order to achieve maximum results.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :  DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM :  SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-2371)

DATE: 2/8/71

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS
BUDED: 2/10/71


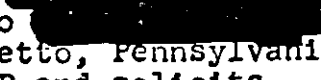

Re Bureau airtel 2/2/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau are one copy each of two letters submitted by Philadelphia for Cointel purposes. Copies are also enclosed for Pittsburgh and San Francisco.







The following proposal is submitted for the Bureau consideration as a Cointel suggestion designed to promote national dissension within the BPP.

The two enclosures are described as follows:

Letter Number 1

This letter is directed from  to  a student at Francis College, Loretto, Pennsylvania.  discusses his leaving the BPP and solicits support for a new organization, Black United Liberation Front (BULF), formed by ex-Panthers from the Philadelphia BPP Branch.

Letter Number 2

This letter is directed from  to San Francisco Attorney  seeking his advice on what to do about the  letter.  enclosed  letter for  information.

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- 2 - Bureau (100-448006) (Encls. - 2) (RM)
- 2 - Pittsburgh (Encls. - 2) (RM)
- 1 - San Francisco (Encl. - 2) (RM)
- 1 - Philadelphia (157-2371)

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Philadelphia proposes that Letter #2 with Letter #4 enclosed be forwarded to the Pittsburgh Division for mailing from Loretto, Pennsylvania.

The following information is set forth by way of background upon which this suggestion is based:

[redacted] was [redacted] Philadelphia Branch of the BPP with [redacted] From June, 1969, until October, 1970, when he quit the Party, [redacted] was very active [redacted] with assignments also in New York and San Francisco. While on the West Coast he wrote several articles for the BPP newspaper under the alias [redacted] is a 16 year old who left the Party to participate in BULF with [redacted] who left the Party after being ordered to report to New Haven as a Community Worker. [redacted] and about five other BPP members were demoted as a disciplinary measure in October, 1970. When he left the Party [redacted] took with him most of the old time Party members causing the BPP serious problems in finding people to handle the various BPP programs. [redacted] and his group [redacted] have been labeled "Enemies of the People" in the BPP newspaper and have been accused of soliciting funds in the name of the BPP.

When [redacted] quit, [redacted] became co-leaders of the Philadelphia Branch. [redacted] left Philadelphia in mid-December to attend the Ideological Institute of HUEY P. NEWTON in California. As of 2/8/71, [redacted] San Francisco. On 1/24/71, [redacted] has indicated he will be returning to Philadelphia, but no date for his return has been set.

On 8/31/70, the Philadelphia Police Department raided three BPP locations in the city in executing search warrants. Voluminous records were seized including correspondence to the BPP from various individuals expressing support for the BPP. One letter seized was from an individual signing his name [redacted] a student at St. Francis College, expressing an interest in the BPP. This letter was forwarded to Pittsburgh 1/15/71.

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Philadelphia feels that there is a current of distrust running through the BPP hierarchy at the present time, particularly because of the [REDACTED] incident. It is felt that through sending the enclosed letters to [REDACTED] they would end up in the hands of [REDACTED] and cause him to seriously doubt [REDACTED] loyalty.

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If approved, the letter from [REDACTED] could be typed on plain bond paper and signed [REDACTED]. Philadelphia has in its possession handwriting samples from [REDACTED] upon which to base a reproduction of his signature. The letter from [REDACTED] will be typed on a different typewriter using typical college thesis paper. The return address used by [REDACTED] is a Philadelphia FBI Post Office Box. The original letters will be maintained by Philadelphia pending Bureau consideration of this suggestion. If approved, Letter #2 will be dated and forwarded to Pittsburgh for mailing from Loretto, Pa.

Bureau is requested to give expeditious consideration to this request since it is felt it might be more effective if [REDACTED] is still on the West Coast when the letters come to NEWTON's attention.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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Airtel

To: SAC, Portland ^{EX-111} (157-347)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2256

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 2/9/71.

The proposal outlined in referenced airtel for captioned purpose is not approved. Bureau does not feel designed purpose can be achieved by mailing the described letter to the underground newspapers in Berkeley, California, or Portland, Oregon. Bureau does feel, however, that the idea of creating dissension between the operators of the two described clinics and the Portland Black Panther Party to block Panther efforts to solicit funds and create dissension between [REDACTED] and the Panthers has merit. Restudy your idea and design an approach that is more local and direct and will cut off solicitations to the Panthers. Consider, as one possibility, the determination of large contributors to the Panthers and sending them an anonymous note highlighting the violent, criminal, revolutionary, antiestablishment attitude of the Panthers while expressing your concern for any interest on their part in the clinic which would allow them unbridled access to drugs. Submit your recommendations to Bureau.

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There are two clinics in predominantly black district of Portland, Oregon, which are currently under the direction of one [REDACTED]

The Portland BPP presently lends little support but recently BPP has obtained a permit from the city to solicit funds for support of these clinics which has offered BPP a chance to take credit for these clinical services. Portland

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Party (BPP) Dissension
100-448006

NOTE CONTINUED:

suggested an anonymous letter be mailed from San Francisco to Berkeley, California, underground newspaper and to a Portland underground newspaper attempting to create dissension between the Panthers and [REDACTED] by citing Panther efforts to claim credit for the clinical efforts. Idea has merit but needs local direct application for positive effect.

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Date: 2/9/71

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (157-347)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, dated 2/2/71.

The following proposal is directed toward creating local dissension.

BACKGROUND

The operations of the Fred Hampton Memorial Health Clinic and the Malcolm Shabazz Dental Clinic, both in Albina, the predominately Negro district of Portland, are currently under the direction of [REDACTED]

The Portland Black Panther Party (BPP) presently lends very little support or assistance to these clinics. Recently [REDACTED]

and several members of the BPP have obtained a permit from the Portland City Commission to solicit funds for the support of these clinics. This action has afforded the BPP a chance to take public credit for whatever services are being rendered to the community by these clinics.

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PROPOSED COUNTERINTELLIGENCE

It is proposed that a letter be mailed from San Francisco to the Berkeley Barb, a Berkeley, California

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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underground newspaper, and to the Willamette Bridge, a Portland underground newspaper, which would read as follows:

"In September and October while I was crashing in Portland after the Peoples Army Jamboree, I needed some medical treatment and being short of bread was told to go to the Fred Hampton Peoples Health Clinic in the northeast section of town. I noticed that most of the people being treated were whites and commented to JON, a friend who runs the clinic, that I thought the Black Panthers were supposed to operate the Fred Hampton Clinic. JON told me that if it wasn't for the whites involved in Health-RAP, and running the health clinic and dental clinic, both would fold. I've recently been told that the Panthers are now trying to raise money for the clinics and are taking credit for the services that JON and others have given to the community. It's time that the people in Portland learn the truth about who has been helping them and that they should not give their support and donations to some Black Panther who 'promises' to help them."

EXPECTED RESULTS

It is felt that if dissension can be created between the operators of the Fred Hampton Health Clinic and the Malcolm Shabazz Dental Clinic and the Portland Black Panther Party that the efforts of the Panthers to obtain funds through solicitation will be greatly reduced. Also, if this dissension causes [REDACTED] to withdraw from the clinic operation, it is believed that the clinic will cease to operate.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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To: Seattle (157-721)

REC-71

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2255

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTER

ReSEairtel 2/10/71.

Your proposal submitted in referenced airtel is not being authorized for use due to the possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau.

Your interest in this very important program is appreciated and you are urged to submit additional proposals.

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NOTE:

Seattle proposed that [redacted] be neutralized by indicating he is an informant. [redacted] proposal was for an Agent known to BPP to make obvious attempts to contact [redacted] and for W-2 form to be planted in [redacted] vehicle indicating income from Alcohol, Tax and Firearms Division (ATFD). This proposal poses possibility of embarrassment by Agents being discovered placing W-2 form and through use of ATFD.

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Date: 2/10/71

Transmit the following in PLAINTEXT
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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (157-721) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) -
DISSENSION
RACIAL MATTERS
BUDED 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 2/2/71.

The following information concerns a proposal aimed at local dissension within the Black Panther Party, Seattle, Washington.

For background information it is noted that during 1970 the Alcohol, Tax and Firearms Division, Seattle, Washington, attempted to obtain a Federal search warrant to conduct a raid of the BPP Office based on information ATFD had that the Panthers had illegal weapons. ATFD requested assistance from the Seattle Police Department, which was summarily rejected by local authorities up to and including Mayor WES UHLMAN, Seattle, Washington. Based upon Mayor UHLMAN's actions, the Seattle Chapter of the BPP was made aware of the anticipated raid of ATFD, which never transpired.

During January, 1971, a source of the Seattle Division advised that some discussion had been made within the black community that [REDACTED] Black Panther Party, was an informant for some law enforcement agency.

It is also noted that as a result of investigations by [REDACTED] who conducts racial investigations concerning the BPP, [REDACTED] has been in telephonic contact with the [REDACTED]

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Approved: [Signature]
Special Agent in Charge

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Panther office who is known by some individuals in the Panthers office as [REDACTED] the FBI agent. Based upon the above background information, Seattle suggests the following action be implemented as a possible means of creating dissension within the Seattle Chapter of the BPP:

Investigation be conducted to determine when [REDACTED] is not in the Panther office at which time [REDACTED] would telephonically contacted the Panther office asking to speak with [REDACTED]. When advised that [REDACTED] was not at the office [REDACTED] would leave the message for [REDACTED] to call [REDACTED] right away.

It is further suggested in implementing this program that during the following three weeks, investigation be conducted to determine which vehicles [REDACTED] utilizes so that approximately after three weeks from the above phone call, that Seattle agents discreetly conceal, so that it will be found, a W-2 form in one of the vehicles [REDACTED] uses, properly filled out, indicating [REDACTED] received money from ATFD during 1970 for services rendered.

It is noted that W-2 forms can be purchased locally in any stationery store in metropolitan Seattle in blank.

Upon approval by the Bureau and if this program is implemented, Seattle will use all measure to insure the security of this program so that the Bureau's identity will not be revealed.

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To: SAC, Atlanta (157-4690)

From: Director, FBI (100-448008)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReATtel to Director 2/16/71, captioned, "Downtown Street Disturbance Between Mosque Member NOI and Members of Atlanta Chapter National Committee to Combat Fascism, February 15, 1971, Atlanta, Georgia; Racial Matters."

In view of the information set forth in referenced teletype, the Atlanta Division should consider utilizing this incident in the Counterintelligence Program. One possible utilization of this information would be directing of one or more letters to Elijah Muhammad at the national headquarters of NOI in Chicago complaining of the attack by BPP members upon NOI members indicating that the NOI has been selling newspapers on this street corner for a number of years and are now being physically attacked by the BPP members.

The Atlanta Division should review this situation and submit counterintelligence proposal directed toward causing further dissension between the NOI and the BPP.

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Airtel to Atlanta
Re: Counterintelligence Program
- Black Extremists
100-448008

NOTE:

Referenced teletype reports an incident occurring on a street corner in Atlanta where BPP members selling the Black Panther Party newspaper attacked members of the NOI selling the Nation of Islam newspaper on the same street. A large crowd gathered and 35 police officers were called to the scene to disperse the crowd. A number of arrests were made. Atlanta being advised to consider this incident in submitting a counterintelligence proposal directed toward causing further animosity between these two extremist groups.

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February 22, 1971

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To: SAC, Boston (157-531)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006)

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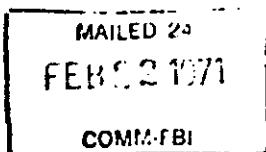
Reurairtel 2/10/71.

Your recommendation relating to the cartoon, as set forth in reairtel, is being given consideration. If approved, you will be promptly advised of any action taken. Take no action until so advised.

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NOTE: Reairtel enclosed a cartoon reflecting graphically and in words the dissension and moral problem among present BPP leaders. Boston suggested this cartoon be reproduced in sufficient quantity in order that at least two copies can be anonymously mailed to each BPP chapter and affiliate throughout the country. Boston also suggested that all mailing emanate from San Francisco. This matter, along with numerous other suggestions, is being given overall consideration.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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To: SAC, Savannah (157-629)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) *EX-117 DEC 41 2252*

COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
RACIAL MATTERS

ReSVairtel 2/9/71.

The suggestion outlined in referenced communication is not approved. This is based on the possibility that the implementation of such a mailing may have an adverse effect on our ultimate objective of completely neutralizing all BPP activity in Augusta, Georgia. In this connection, there has been little or no activity of this group in the past four months. It is felt that a letter sent at this time to individuals affiliated with the BPP may in effect consolidate a number of these individuals along one leadership line or stir up interest for renewed activity.

In the event that future developments in the investigation of BPP activity in Augusta presents circumstances which warrant implementation of a counterintelligence proposal you should forward same to the Bureau for consideration. In connection with the above, you may desire to consider preparing an anonymous letter to various local businessmen indicating that funds contributed to the BPP are not used for the black community but for personal escapades, thereby creating local opposition to the Panthers and drying up any source of funds.

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Airtel to Savannah

Re: Cointelpro - Black Panther Party (BPP)

100-448006

You are reminded that Bureau authority is necessary prior to implementation of any counterintelligence proposal.

NOTE:

Savannah proposed that the Bureau Laboratory prepare a mimeograph letter over a Bureau prepared signature of [REDACTED] urging individuals to support him in his quest for leadership of the Augusta, Georgia group. The results of Savannah's proposal is dubious and the implementation of such a mailing may in fact unite the group in Augusta.

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Date: 2/9/71

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Via _____

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAVANNAH (157-629) (P)

SUBJ: COINTELPRO - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
 DISSENSION
 RACIAL MATTERS
 Buded: 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 2/2/71.

The following suggestion is made to create dissension within the local branch of the NCCF at Augusta, Ga.

In 9/70, [REDACTED] was arrested and has been in custody since. Following confinement, the New York office directed 7 or 8 members of the NCCF in Winston-Salem, N.C., to Augusta to help organize and promote attendance at the Black Panther convention in Washington, D.C., in 11/70.

Early in November, 1970, two members of the Winston-Salem group and one from the Augusta group committed an armed robbery of a grocery store in Aiken County, S.C., taking rifles, shotguns and handguns. During the chase by police following the incident, [REDACTED] of the Winston-Salem group and the driver of the get-away car, was killed when the vehicle turned over.

ENCLOSURE

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Approved: _____

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The weapons were recovered and the two accomplices escaped. The above two incidents caused dissension among the Augusta group and the Winston-Salem Panthers departed. Many of the Augusta members complained about the Winston-Salem group trying to take over and because [REDACTED] was being neglected and ignored. There has been little or no activity on the part of the Augusta group during December, 1970 and January, 1971, however, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] aka, are trying to reorganize the Augusta group. It appears that their efforts to do so are not coordinated. [REDACTED] has been described as a strict disciplinarian and strong supporter of the national office. [REDACTED] a strong supporter of [REDACTED]. He was expelled for failing to accept criticism and discipline.

It is suggested that the attached letter be prepared on a mimeograph machine by the Laboratory. The stencil should be cut with an old model typewriter with a poor quality typing and frequent misspelled words. It is suggested 25 copies be run off and sent to Savannah for mailing in a plain unmarked envelopes. The letters will be mailed at Augusta, Ga., to selected members of the NCCF.

[REDACTED]

Also the Lab may use his signature as it appears on his military service card, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Hear brothers and sisters:

Since [REDACTED] was picked up by the pigs in September last year our group at Augusta has not had any leadership and direction. It did not have much when [REDACTED] was free. [REDACTED] is in jail now cause he did not use his head. It is known fact [REDACTED] can't work with National office and can't work with our people in Augusta.

[REDACTED] is now trying to take over and organize NCCF while [REDACTED] is away. [REDACTED] is lazy, stupid and does not have support of national office. In fact he has been a problem to the national office and to people from Carolina sent her by national office to help. He has bad mouthed me to other members cause I follow and cooperate with national office.

[REDACTED] wants to preach theory and I am for action. The only hope for our group in Augusta is to work under the leadership of the national organization. If they expel [REDACTED] or another [REDACTED] brother that order must be carried out for the benefit of all.

Discipline in the ranks is the word. We must be willing to sacrifice a local brother or sister for the revolution. There is no other way.

I have been assured of the support of brothers in the national office and will be talking to you about this personally before long. In the meantime don't let [REDACTED] mislead you and make a fool out of you. My only hope is to build the party in Augusta in cooperation with the national office.

[REDACTED] can't do this.

BLACK WORKER POWER TO BLACK WORKERS

[REDACTED]

10- [REDACTED] 2452

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

1 - Mr. A. W. Gray
1 - Mr. W. H. Atkinson

2/22/71

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1 - [REDACTED]
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To: SAC, New York (100-161140)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2251

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReNYairtel 2/16/71, a copy of which is enclosed for San Francisco.

Provided the signer of the proposed letter to be directed to Black Panther Party leader Huey P. Newton is a fictitious individual, the counterintelligence proposal contained in referenced airtel is approved.

In implementing this counterintelligence action, New York should insure stationery and mailing procedures utilized are such that the letter is not traceable to the Bureau.

The Bureau should be advised of positive counterintelligence benefits derived from this technique.

1 - San Francisco (Enclosure)

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NOTE:

New York has proposed mailing of a letter to Black Panther Party (BPP) leader Huey P. Newton critical of Newton and his senseless rhetoric during a speaking appearance at Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey, on 2/9/71. This is being approved contingent upon New York's signing of the letter with a fictitious name in order to preclude any physical repercussions as a result of its mailing. The letter will indicate the signer is affiliated with the all-white, left-wing Youth Against War and Fascism organization in New York City and is aimed at heightening dissension within the national BPP organization.

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Date: 2/16/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
 FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140)
 SUBJECT: COINTELPRO BLACK EXTREMISTS
 RACIAL MATTERS

ReBuairtel to SF, 2/5/71.

As part of the continuing counterintelligence program directed against BPP operations and its leadership, the following is the proposed text of a letter to be sent to HUEY P. NEWTON at BPP National Headquarters in Oakland, Cal.:

"Brother Newton:

"Babylon lives! Pigs prosper! Huey Newton speaks, thousands walk out!

"Brother Newton, you have blown your mind. You have freaked out. As Minister of Defense why don't you talk in language that the People can understand.

"We, the people, vomit when we hear you tie together bits of philosophy, history, logic (?) and physics with pieces of Marxism and then say 'this is the foundation for the revolutionary ethics of the Black Panther Party.'

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"According to the nigger we heard at Princeton 'Revolutionaries need clear thinking to face the real world.' How come Huey Newton didn't clearly think out what the 'Poor man's Stokely Carmichael' Eldridge Cleaver had to say after he vamped Tim Leary in Algeria and bad mouthed Jerry Rubin in that fascist rag, 'The Village Voice'.

"We also heard that nigger at Princeton say that he 'Eventually hoped to develop a language which people would understand.' This might explain why disaster has struck the 3rd World in the form of a jive-ass coon doll that when you wind it up it raps senselessly. It explains it because when we were yelling 'Free Huey' the pigs did free HUEY - but they freed the wrong Huey. We got the Huey who doesn't speak any tongue.

"All Power to the People,



The above proposed letter is based upon remarks made by NEWTON at his appearance at Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, on 2/9/71, as reported in the Newark, NJ, "Evening News", on 2/10/71.

It is hoped that this letter would have a disruptive effect upon NEWTON or his subordinates by showing the critical appraisal given the BPP and its current tact by a member of a predominately all white left wing group.

No action on this matter will be taken without prior Bureau approval.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (157-2414) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 2/18/71

Re Miami progress letter 11/20/70.

Since submission of relet, two new organizations have come into existence within the Miami Division. One is called "Together All Black Americans, Inc." (TABA) and has been formed in the Fort Lauderdale area. "Young Afro Brothers of America" (YABA) has been formed in the West Palm Beach, Florida area.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Miami is instituting an exhaustive, penetrative and intensive interview program regarding persons connected with TABA. The purposes of this interview program are:

1. Attempt to eliminate the organization
2. Dissuade mere sympathizers or those on the fringe to actually become members of the organization
3. To determine the monetary policy and use of the organization's funds

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4. To infiltrate and develop sources within the organization
5. To show the stated principles and purposes of the organization are merely a sham and that the organization is basically dedicated to black nationalist hate type philosophies

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

All persons identified as members or sympathizers with YABA are being interviewed in connection with Miami case captioned "UNSUB; Explosion at Twin Lakes North Campus High School, West Palm Beach, Florida, 1/27-28/71, EID - PE - CRA 64 (INTERFERENCE)." In addition to obtaining information regarding that investigation efforts similar to those to be executed in connection with the TABA interviews are being kept in mind by interviewing Agents.

[REDACTED] both black militant leaders from the Miami area, [REDACTED] He has been encouraged and directed to continue this activity, however, he has been warned that such activity should be handled in a most discreet manner. He was also advised to keep the Bureau completely advised of developments in this regard and to refrain from other speeches or other public statements indicating either [REDACTED] was a police agent without prior authority of the contacting Agent.

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III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

None

IV. DEVELOPMENT OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTERESTS

None

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 2/19/71

FROM : SAC, MEMPHIS (100-4542) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Bureau airtel to Atlanta, cc Memphis, dated 1/13/71 captioned as above.

Anonymous mailings of reprints of an article captioned "Soph Class Examines Recent Panther Rejections" which appeared in Harvard University student newspaper "The Hilltop" have been made to the following persons and/or organizations:

Black Student Association, Memphis State University, Memphis, Tennessee

Black Student Association, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tennessee

President, Lane College, Jackson, Tennessee

President, LeMoyne-Owen College, Memphis, Tenn.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

President, Fisk College, Nashville, Tenn.

President, Tennessee A & I State University, Nashville, Tenn.

President, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.

Editor, Memphis Press-Scimitar, a Memphis daily newspaper

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[REDACTED]
a black power group at Memphis, Tennessee, following
the 10-point program of the Black Panther Party (BPP)

President, Student Body, Memphis State University

Editor, Nashville Tennessean, daily Nashville,
Tennessee newspaper

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Editor, Tri-State Defender, Memphis, Tennessee,
a weekly Negro newspaper.

The Bureau will be advised of any positive results
of these anonymous mailings.

The Memphis Office is of the belief that doubt
regarding BPP concepts and aims can be created by an anonymous
mailing of this article to all members of the PRP-NCCF at
Memphis, Tennessee.

UACB, the Memphis Office intends to Xerox copies
of this article and to anonymously mail them to some 30
members and/or sympathizers of the Memphis BPP oriented
group known as the PRP-NCCF.

The Bureau will also be advised of any positive
results of this mailing.

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Date: 2/9/71

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Via IRTEL _____

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, CHARLOTTE (157-6109) (P)

COINTELPRO

BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION

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(Buded 2/10/71)

Re Buairtel to Albany, 2/2/71, and Charlotte airtel to Bureau 2/9/71.

It is noted Charlotte has submitted a counter-intelligence proposal pursuant to Bureau instructions aimed to create dissension between the leadership of the BPP at Winston-Salem, N. C., and BPP National Headquarters.

In reviewing the situation to ascertain a suitable counterintelligence proposal to develop dissension within the local leadership, the following situation was noted:

[REDACTED]

are charged with local felony offenses. Eviction proceedings are in progress at their remaining pad and headquarters, 1386 Wilson St., Winston-Salem, and at their community center at 612 Hulda St., High Point, N. C.

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Due to the situation wherein turmoil now exists, Charlotte is of the opinion that no counterintelligence efforts locally should be undertaken at this time, and UACB, no proposal will be submitted.

The situation at High Point is being followed closely and consideration will be given when the situation becomes more definite to a news sheet or other method of running down the Panthers in that area.

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Date: 2/5/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Buairtel 1/19/71, authorized forwarding by WFO to a large number of colleges and universities with Black Student Union (BSU) chapters, an anonymous letter discussing the fiasco at the People's Revolutionary Constitutional Convention (RPCC) at Washington, D.C.

Bureau suggested that San Francisco submit a similar letter along with recommendations concerning addresses.

San Francisco and other offices have directed letters on this topic to leaders at BPP National Headquarters and to ELDRIDGE CLEAVER in Algiers. Copies of critical articles have also been forwarded by WFO, and BSU chapters throughout the country have been made aware of the failure of the conference.

UACB, San Francisco will not submit a letter on this topic at present. This office will continue to emphasize this program and realizes that the success we have had to date and what may be accomplished in the future has been and will be the result of sophisticated and timely suggestions, but we believe the failure of the RPCC has been sufficiently exploited.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Newark (100-49654)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2216

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

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Reurairtel 2/10/71 captioned "Cointelpro - Black Panther Party - Dissension, Racial Matters."

Authority is denied to send letter as recommended in reairtel. You may resubmit the letter, deleting the threat, for further consideration.

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NOTE: The Black Panther (BPP) is not active in Newark, New Jersey, but BPP members from Jersey City, New Jersey, sell BPP papers in Newark. This has brought them in conflict with [REDACTED] present black mayor of New York, and [REDACTED] Newark suggested writing a letter to the BPP in Jersey City signed by the CUN, threatening bloodshed if the BPP continues to sell its newspapers in Newark. This threat is a violation of law or close to it and if a complaint is made to the police, this counterintelligence proposal could cause much needless expenditure of time and effort on the part of the police with little, if any, disruption to the extremists.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, NEWARK (100-49654)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION
 RACIAL MATTERS
 BUDED: 2/10/71

Re Bureau airtel 2/2/71 to SAC, Albany.

The following proposal is aimed at local dissension:

Because of the fact that the local BPP units are without leadership, finances or any viable programs, it is considered that any counterintelligence measure directed at causing dissension within the local branches would be ineffective at this time; but rather a measure directed from outside forces would be more fruitful.

Informants have continued to report that there has been a growing hostility between [REDACTED] and the BLACK PANTHER PARTY. BPP members from Jersey City are known to come to Newark to sell the BLACK PANTHER PARTY newspaper in the downtown area, as well as the ghetto areas.

It is recommended that the following letter be sent to the BPP at 93 Summit Ave., Jersey City, NJ:

"We have warned you before that this is our town and that you and your paper should stay in Jersey City. We took care of [REDACTED] without any bloodshed. Maybe you will not be so fortunate if you continue to sell your paper in this city".

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It is noted that [REDACTED] was a Federal fugitive who was apprehended by Bureau Agents at Elizabeth, NJ, on 1/25/71.

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1 - [REDACTED]

To: SACs, Dallas (157-1105)
San Francisco (157-2573)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2245

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COINTELPRO
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSESION
RACIAL MATTERS

ReDLairtels dated 2/9/71 captioned as above and
SFteletype to Bureau, Dallas and Houston captioned "Black
Panther Party (BPP), Dallas Division, RM - BPP."

In view of developments set forth in referenced
teletype, authority to initiate the counterintelligence
proposals set forth in referenced airtels are denied. You
may desire to resubmit these counterintelligence proposals
after the status of [REDACTED] and the Dallas NCCF chapter
has been resolved.

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Date: 2/9/71

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (157-1105) (P)

COINTELPRO -

BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION

RM

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 2/2/71.

The following counterintelligence proposal is submitted to create dissension among the members of Dallas chapter of NCCF.

[REDACTED] has advised that the current members of Dallas NCCF organization are dissillusioned and are losing interest in the BPP due to HUEY NEWTON's dictatorial methods and his recent expulsion of [REDACTED] et al, who were arrested in Dallas and his disciplining of other dedicated BPP members. It is suggested that [REDACTED]

It is further recommended that an anonymous letter be written to known supporters of the Dallas NCCF organization

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recommending that financial contributions no longer be made to the Dallas NCCF chapter or the BPP national organization due to HUEY P. NEWTON's irrational actions including his expelling of dedicated militant followers of the organization.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (157-1105) (P)

COINTELPRO -

- BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - DISSENSION
RM

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 2/2/71.

As requested by referenced communication, the following counterintelligence proposal is being submitted to create dissension between the Dallas National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF) branch leaders and the Black Panther Party (BPP) national headquarters.

[REDACTED] has advised that [REDACTED] was very demanding of Dallas NCCF members and individuals sympathetic to the organization during his recent visit and has caused a great deal of dissension among those he contacted. Source also advised he has heard that several individuals not directly connected with the Dallas NCCF have written to BPP National Ministry criticizing [REDACTED] for his attitude during his contacts with them.

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q As a result of this action, it is felt that [REDACTED], who is a dedicated member and potential leader within the BPP organization, can be neutralized.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, CINCINNATI (157-3786) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
(VISUAL AIDS)
RM

DATE: 2/16/71

ReBUairtel, 4/24/69.

The Cincinnati Division has no photographs of scenes of racial violence or related matters which have not previously been furnished.

Agents of this Division have been notified to submit any photographs in this category to the Bureau on a continuing basis.

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To: SAC, Springfield (157-1053)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) -

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Your proposal aimed at increasing national dissension within the BPP has been received and is being considered by the Bureau. In the event your suggestion is approved, you will be further advised.

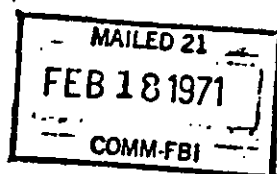
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NOTE:

Springfield's proposal for creation of dissension on a national level concerned the mailing of an anonymous letter to Huey Newton, Supreme Commander, BPP national headquarters. The letter would inquire about rumors of misappropriation of money which had been raised as deposit for the appearance of Newton. All field offices having BPP chapters have been requested to submit proposals. All such proposals are being considered and those deemed most appropriate will be adopted and field will be so advised.

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To: SAC, Albany

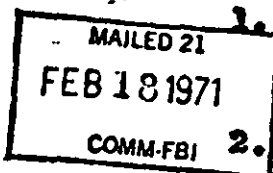
From: Director, FBI (100-448006) —

**COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS**

ReALairtel and LHM 2/4/71 captioned "Stronghold Consolidated Productions, Inc. (SCPI), (Black Panther Party Corporation), RM."

Enclosed for Albany are two copies of a news clipping by Rowland Evans and Robert Novak from "The Washington Post," 1/28/71, which identifies SCPI as a Black Panther Party (BPP) corporation organized by David Labell, a communist.

The Certificate of Incorporation for SCPI furnished with referenced LHM does not mention BPP and in no way indicates that SCPI is connected with BPP. The Bureau feels this situation offers counterintelligence possibilities, and Albany is instructed as follows:



1. Obtain an additional official copy of SCPI Certificate of Incorporation of the type that can be obtained by a citizen.

2. Prepare an anonymous letter to Eldridge Cleaver, Boite Postal, 118 Grand Poste, Algiers, Algeria, enclosing one copy of enclosure and the Certificate of Incorporation. The letter should indicate that the writer was formerly affiliated with the BPP in Albany, is still faithful to the Party, and remains anonymous for fear of reprisal.

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- San Francisco (157-601)
- New York (100-161993)

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Re: Coinatelpo - Black Extremists
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The letter should indicate writer saw the news item; and to find out just what SCPI really was, obtained a copy of the Certificate of Incorporation. The writer was then shocked to find that nowhere in this document is the BPP mentioned, and [REDACTED] is named as the head of the corporation. Since the BPP is putting all money and property in the name of the SCPI, it looks like Newton has turned the BPP over to [REDACTED] the "commie lawyer."

3. Submit your proposed anonymous letter to the Bureau for approval.

Information copies directed to New York, office of origin of [REDACTED] and San Francisco, office of origin of SCPI.

NOTE:

Above instructions to Albany to prepare anonymous letter to Eldridge Cleaver concerning SCPI is for purpose of eliciting criticism from Cleaver of Newton for his organization of SCPI and to further aggravating the dissension between them.